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THE WEATHER

Fair today and tomorrow with rising temperature is the forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity made by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature yesterday was 12 and the minimum 3 degrees. The sun rose clear at 7:20 a. m. and set cloudy at 5:38 p. m. yesterday. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Fair.

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Vel.	Weather
8 a.m.	30.34	4	92	N. W.	16	Clear
8 p.m.	30.46	8	77	N. W.	15	Clear

Comparative temperature and precipitation for February 2:

	1906	1905		1906	1905
Maximum	12	15	Mean	8	8
Minimum	3	0	Precipitation	T	T
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	31		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.10	
Dfcy. for day	23		Dfcy. for day	.10	
Dfcy. since Feb. 1.	27		Dfcy. since Feb. 1.	.19	
Exc. since Jan. 1.	213		Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	1.50	

Government Weather Forecast.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Saturday and Sunday with rising temperature, except snow flurries Saturday near Lake Erie; variable winds becoming southeast and fresh.

Ohio—Fair with rising temperature Saturday and Sunday, except snow flurries in extreme southeast portion; variable winds becoming southeast and fresh.

West Virginia—Fair Saturday and Sunday with rising temperature.

Observations taken at 8 p. m.:

St. Louis	24	Cloudy	Parkersburg	14	Clear
Dubuque	18	Clear	Indianapolis	20	Clear
Cincinnati	26	Clear	Chattanooga	30	Clear
Columbus	22	Cloudy	Spring'd, Ill.	20	PtCldy
Chicago	14	Clear	Philadelphia	26	Clear
Gd. Haven	12	Snow	Jacksonville	48	Clear
Washing'n	18	Clear	New Orleans	50	Clear
Gd. Rapids	10	PtCldy	San Antonio	58	Clear
Des Moines	18	Cloudy	Spring'd, Mo.	32	Cloudy
New York	12	Clear	Ft. Smith	44	Clear
Baltimore	18	PtCldy	Louisville	30	PtCldy
Atlanta	32	Clear	Shreveport	48	Clear
Omaha	22	PtCldy	Galveston	54	Clear
Memphis	34	Clear	Montgomery	48	Clear
Vicksburg	44	Clear	Palestine	50	Clear
Nashville	28	Clear	St. Paul	10	Clear
Buffalo	2	Clear	Yellowstone	40	Clear
Cleveland	10	Cloudy	Huron	26	Cloudy
Peoria	14	Clear	Bismarck	18	Clear
Duluth	2	Clear	Helena	38	PtCldy
Marquette	0	Clear	Norfolk	24	Clear
Madison	10	Clear	Cheyenne	40	Clear
Concordia	40	Clear	Lander	30	Clear
Amarillo	32	Clear	Pueblo	38	Clear
Cairo	28	Clear	Santa Fe	40	Clear
Wichita	44	Clear	Salt Lake	36	Cloudy
Abilene	54	Clear	Denver	54	Clear
El Paso	54	Clear	Rapid City	32	Clear
Kansas City	28	Clear	Valentine	44	Clear
Oklahoma	50	Clear	Los Angeles	60	Cloudy
Little Rock	40	PtCldy	Boston	30	PtCldy
Davenport	24	Cloudy			

*Observations taken at 8 a. m.

Sensational Closing Session of the Big Indianapolis Convention.

STRIKE SEEMS SURE

Patrick Dolan Causes Excitement by Voting With Operators in Joint Meeting.

REBUKED BY LOCAL DISTRICT

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 2.—In the joint conference this morning between all of the miners and all of the operators, the operators' final position for a reaffirmation of the scale was put squarely before the convention and was voted down. The convention then adjourned sine die and the joint movement which has been a continuous body and the backbone of peace in the bituminous field since 1898 was practically disrupted.

Pursuant to custom to have the president of each district cast the vote for his district in the roll call on principal questions, when the roll was called this morning on the operators' offer only one miners' leader, President Patrick Dolan of Pittsburgh voted to accept. His action almost precipitated a riot.

Amidst the howls and jeers of 1,300 delegates he stood on the floor and voted to accept the present scale. He told those who jeered him they would have to swallow the same dose sooner or later and they might as well do it now.

Miners Were in an Uproar.

Mitchell in a passion tried to have his vote ruled out on the plea that he was voting only as an individual. Dolan contended he had received authority to cast the vote for his district, and as that action had not been rescinded he voted as his judgment dictated.

President Robbins, of the Pittsburgh Coal Company insisted upon a ruling from the chair. The result was that Dolan's vote was recorded in what was unquestionably the most dramatic event the joint movement has ever witnessed.

In the uproar of attack to which Dolan was subjected he sat smilingly smoking his pipe. It is claimed John Mitchell has privately admitted that he can get nothing better, but he refused to plead with his constituents for a renewal of the agreement because of the criticism to which he would be subjected.

When Chairman Robbins of the Pittsburgh Coal Company presented his initial proposition and challenge for a settlement based on actual selling prices two years ago and today, Mitchell sat as a sphinx.

Dolan Meets Situation.

Vice President Lewis was the first of the miners leaders to realize that prices were probably higher two years ago than today and he said so. Mitchell only seemed to grasp the situation a day late. It was Dolan who first declared the case was lost.

When Dolan got on to his feet he said: "It is foolish, men, criminal, to cause suffering for our dependent women and children when all that is necessary to avert it is for our national leaders to advise the men what they really ought to do. You men condemn me now, but it will only be a matter of time till you must come around to my way of thinking. It is much easier to get men out on strike than it is to get them back to work. I have only voted as my judgment dictated. We have too much at stake to go into a strike. We don't want to ruin this joint movement.

The miners' meeting talked of expelling Dolan from the organization, of insisting on his resignation, but John Mitchell declared this was out of order, and a matter for the Pittsburgh delegation.

Dolan Vote Repudiated.

In a separate executive session of the Pittsburgh miners, a resolution was put through repudiating the attitude of President Dolan and Vice President Bellingham, the latter having originally cast the disturbing vote for Dolan, and that the Pittsburgh miners stand by the action of the general meeting of the miners yesterday, in accepting the report of their scale committee against acceptance of the operators' proposal for a reaffirmation of the present agreement.

No arrangements have been made for another conference.

The operators' attitude against tying a string to an ostensible rupture was inspired by the action of the miners' convention yesterday, when miners, under the leadership of the radical element, voted not to have any settlement unless an advance in wages was given, passed a resolution not to settle in any district until a settlement was made in all districts under the jurisdiction of the miners' organization, and discussed the question of putting a special assessment of $1 a week on all members of the organization between now and April 1 to amass a gigantic defense fund.

Operators Act Promptly.

When this news got to the operators last night it immediately stimulated them to take more aggressive measures, and they decided to absolutely refuse to even discuss with Mitchell the prospects of another conference.

They refused to allow Mitchell to do all the bluffing. They think he has put himself in a very serious position with the public, and they believe that the coal trade of the country warrants a general upheaval as far as this organization is concerned, rather than to be burdened with an advance in wages at this time.

Under the resolution of yesterday, when the miners declared they would not settle in any district until all district scales are adjusted, Mitchell will go before the anthracite operators on February 15 in the ridiculous position of asking for a contract which he has not power to make. No matter what the anthracite operators offer, he cannot settle with them unless he settles within all districts, or else calls another national convention and rescinds the attitude of this convention.

In order to accomplish anything he will

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NEGRO'S ARREST A SENSATION OF HARTJE DIVORCE

Prisoner Is Said to Have Confessed He Perjured Himself.

KEYSTONE OF SUIT

Names Amount of Money He Was Given for His Testimony, It Is Alleged.

WIFE'S FATHER IS GRATIFIED

Sensational fuel was added to the fire in the Hartje divorce case yesterday when it was learned Clifford Hooe, the Hartjes' colored coachman, had been arrested in East Liverpool, O., this week by the Perkins Union Detective agency and committed to jail yesterday charged with perjury, to which, it is alleged, he had confessed. It is said Hooe named the amount of money he was given to perjure himself, told who gave it to him, and where he spent it after leaving Pittsburgh the day after making the statement about his being a co-respondent with Mrs. Hartje.

Attorney John Marron, who is prosecuting August Hartje's case against Mrs. Hartje, said yesterday the treatment accorded Hooe from the time he was arrested in East Liverpool until he was incarcerated in the local jail was awful, and would be fully aired in the local courts. The Perkins agency disclaimed having treated Hooe other than in the way other prisoners are managed, but further would not discuss the case.

August Hartje is president of the Hartje Paper Manufacturing Company and resides in Irwin avenue, Squirrel Hill. Mrs. Hartje is a daughter of John F. Scott of Bartlett street, Squirrel Hill, former vice president of the Mansfield Coal and Coke Company, but now retired. She is a granddaughter of the late John Scott, president of the Allegheny Valley Railroad Company. Until last October the Hartjes lived in Irwin avenue. They have been married 11 years and have two children, John Scott Hartje, aged 10, and Mary Louise Hartje, aged 6. The children play a prominent part in the case, for it is for their custody both parents are contesting. Both mother and children are living with Scott.

Last fall Hartje filed a libel in divorce against his wife, naming Hooe as co-respondent. He retained Marron & McGirr and J. Scott Ferguson as his attorneys. Mrs. Hartje retained D. T. Watson and Patterson, Sterrett & Acheson. Her attorneys obtained a rule from the court to compel her husband to show the dates, places and general data concerning her alleged misbehavior. Hooe then made his sensational statement and the next day left Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Hartje filed a counter suit against her husband. It has not been learned whom she named as co-respondent, and last night her father did not care to discuss the subject. Mrs. Hartje's attorneys retained the Perkins agency to look for Hooe. He was regarded as both the keystone of the prosecution and a good witness for the defense.

Last night Mrs. Hartje, who is regarded as one of the handsomest women in Pittsburgh, was at a church entertainment and had her two children with her. Her father was gratified at the arrest of the negro and said:

"I am not only making this fight for my daughter, but for the good name of American womanhood. It is time that something was done to protect the names of our wives, mothers and daughters, and this time it will be clearly known just how greviously one American daughter has been maligned. My daughter has the sympathy of a wide coterie of friends, who have stood by her in the time of her troubles and tribulations and when the case is ended a signal, and, I hope, a lasting victory will have been won."

ERB KEEPS THE WHOLE "GRAFT;" DOES NOT GIVE DURHAM A PENNY

A BACKWARD STAR

Private Secretary Tells a Surprising Story in the Insurance Inquiry.

WITNESSES MISSING

No Return of Subpoenas for Persons Who Draw Salaries Without Work.

ISRAEL G. STONE DISAPPEARS

Special Telegram From
WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 2.—"It may surprise you, but I never gave a cent of the $141,223.81 received as fees of the actuary to Insurance Commissioner Israel W. Durham. I kept every cent of it."

This was the statement of J. Clayton Erb of Philadelphia while testifying tonight before the legislative insurance investigating committee. The announcement was a great surprise to the big audience which filled the house caucus room. It was taken for granted that Durham had shared in this gold mine. Under oath Erb says his chief never received a penny.

Another interesting development in the hearing occurred just at the close of the night session. Chairman Fox announced that so far he had gotten no return of the subpoena issued for R. N. J. Reed, Charles Gray and Richard J. Davis of Philadelphia, who, it is alleged, drew salaries from the state and performed no service. As for Israel G. Stone, who is in the same class, Chairman Fox said he had just been telephoned from Wellsboro, Tioga county, by a deputy sergeant-at-arms who was sent to serve Stone. The officer informed him that Stone left home on foot this morning and had not been seen since. Stone is a brother of former Gov. William A. Stone. Attachments will be issued for the missing witnesses.

Was Actuary Only in Name.

Erb swore he was the actuary of the department and employed Robert E. Forster to do much of the work. He produced one paper to show that he had been appointed actuary and examiner and said he had another in a safe deposit box in Philadelphia. While he said he was actuary in name, he did not claim to have done much of the real work, but swore to having examined a great many insurance companies. By the way, he charged the state for this and drew the snug amount of almost $13,000 in addition to the fortune of practically $150,000. With it all, he says he is not in the best of financial condition today, having lost about everything he possessed a few years ago.

While he once was familiar with calculus, logarithms, the theory of finance, curve of life and other technical knowledge requisite in the work of an actuary, the captain says he is a trifle rusty now and would not be able to value a policy.

He showed a greater familiarity with politics when he told how he happened to become actuary. "I heard the judge," said he, "was to be appointed insurance commissioner. As I had been around the hill a great deal I knew the job was a good one and decided to go after it."

Where Walter Made a Mistake.

"How did you know this?" said Chairman Fox. "There are some more of us around the hill a good deal and we did not know the job was so good until recently."

"I am glad you didn't," said Erb. "I learned about it from Parker L. Walter of Pittsburgh. He told me the fees amounted to about $17,000 and said he was a candidate and requested me to help him. I decided I would like to have the place myself. When Durham was appointed commissioner, I told him I wanted the job. 'You know,' said Erb, addressing Senator Fox, "I have been pretty close with the judge. He just said, 'you are appointed.'"

Chairman Fox remarked: "That's where Walter made a mistake by talking."

"I think so," replied Erb.

It was shown by the testimony of Deputy Insurance Commissioner McCulloch, who produced the payrolls of the department from the time Durham took charge in 1899 until the close of 1905, that Erb had received the following amounts: 1899, $1,589; 1900, $2,405; 1901, $2,320; 1902, $2,325.50; 1903, $2,110; 1904, $1,595; 1905, $515. Total, $12,859.50.

Must Refresh His Memory.

Erb was then asked to show what he had done to earn this money. He maintained that he had examined companies, some solvent and others insolvent, and the amount represented his compensation. With the exception of 1904, he was enabled to give a detailed statement. He said that he would have to see the vouchers first to refresh his mind.

The committee was told that Erb entered into an agreement with Forster to do the work of the actuary. There was no written contract. Erb was to pay all expenses of the office and give Forster a compensation of $2,700 for the first year, and the amount was to be increased as the business grew. It was shown by the testimony of Forster last night this was done.

When asked about his receiving the checks of Stone, Davis, Reed and Gray, Erb made this statement: "The checks were sent to me in Philadelphia because most of the men lived in that locality. I do not know what Stone did. He lived in Tioga county and I never saw him. I have heard he is a brother of the former governor. I would send the check to him and the voucher would come back to me properly signed. The other men were in Philadelphia. They worked under the instructions of Durham. They looked after insurance brokers. They would come into the office and report and if they had done anything, they would not say anything. I do not know whether any of them were on the Salter jury. I did not know of anyone performing similar service in Pittsburgh."

Long Time on Payroll.

Charles Gray first appears on the payroll for the third quarter of 1901. He continued on the roll until July 1, 1903. During that time he drew $7,500 from the state. Deputy McCulloch says he

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BILL FOR GREATER PITTSBURGH IN A FAIR WAY

Little Trouble May Be Experienced in Killing Separate-Vote Amendment.

Special Telegram From
WALTER J. CHRISTY, Staff Correspondent.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 2.—Greater Pittsburgh legislation can be secured if its friends are alert and the petty differences buried. The only danger to the bill now seems to be the method of procedure in the legislature. This morning the amended chamber of commerce bill was passed finally in the house. The vote was 123 to 0. Good judgment was shown in making no attempt to have the separate vote amendment inserted yesterday, stricken from the bill. This can be done later with greater ease than it could have been accomplished this morning.

The Wilbert bill, which is the same as the house measure, with the exception that it does not carry the separate vote provision, was passed on second reading in the senate today. It will be up for final passage Monday night. The senate will receive the house bill at the same time. From that point the plan of procedure becomes a very important question and a mistake might endanger the legislation.

The plan in the senate appears to be to send the Cook bill, passed by the house, to a committee, where it is to be kept. The Wilbert proposition will then be messaged to the house. If this procedure is followed, the senate bill will have to be referred to

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DE CASTELLANES PARTED

Anna Gould and Her French Husband Will Be Legally Separated.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—In a private dispatch received in this city from Paris tonight, it was announced that the Count and Countess Boni de Castellane, who was Miss Anna Gould, are living apart. The cause of the estrangement was not given. A legal separation will follow. They have three sons, George, Boni and Jay.

PLAN MORE IMPROVEMENTS.

Pennsylvania Railroad Will Spend an Additional $5,000,000 on the Packsaddle.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—It was learned here today that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has placed in the hands of contractors in Philadelphia specifications for additional big improvements to those already announced for the Pittsburgh division in the vicinity of the Packsaddle. The line will be four-tracked from Sang Hollow to Johnstown, grades will be lessened and curves eliminated.

It is stated the improvements as whole between Bolivar and Johnstown will cost $5,000,000 and employ 3,000 men for the entire summer. The lines into Johnstown will have to be raised at least 10 feet below Morrellville, where the yards will be improved.

ARNETT DIES SUDDENLY AFTER A LONG DEBAUCH

WHEELING, W. VA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—After three days and nights spent in a saloon, Charles Arnett started this morning to walk to police headquarters and fainted in the street. He was hauled to the station in a patrol wagon and died within 15 minutes. Arnett, who was about 45 years old, formerly lived in Fairmont where he was a member of a prominent family. A brother is said to be engaged in business in Pittsburgh.

WISH TO GIVE SAN JUAN HILL TO BRIDAL COUPLE

HAVANA, Feb. 2.—The mayor of Santiago today telegraphed the suggestion that the plantations of which San Juan hill is a part be purchased for Miss Roosevelt's wedding present, but this matter has already been turned over to the minister at Paris. Secretary of State and Justice O'Farrill has received assurance from Washington that President Roosevelt will not decline Cuba's gift.

Will Report Pittsburgh Canal Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The house committee on railways and canals today ordered a favorable report on the bill as amended to grant a federal charter for a canal between Pittsburgh and Ashtabula. The amendments made in committee are designed to prevent the watering of stock.

Remarkable Progress.

The success that has been attained in bringing into general demand and making popular all over the United States Moet & Chandon "White Seal" champagne, vintage of 1900, is shown by the custom house statistics of importations during the year 1905. No less than 99,257 cases of Moet & Chandon champagne were brought into the port of New York last year, keeping this grand wine at the head of the list, the amount being over 50 per cent greater than the importations of the brand which stands second on the list. White Seal "1900" acknowledged as perfection in champagne, is given preference at all first-class hotels and restaurants, and is used almost exclusively at all prominent functions.

GROUNDHOG MAKES HASTY RETREAT TO INTERIOR

Comes Out on Coldest Day of Winter and Retires With Nipped Nose.

With the sun shining yesterday morning, and a temperature of four above, the groundhog did not have much show, and retired in disgust, to remain for six weeks more. The traditional animal certainly ushered in some weather that surpassed anything so far this winter for frostiness. The lowest temperature of the day in Pittsburgh, according to the report of the local weather bureau, was four degrees above zero at 8 o'clock, and the highest 11 above at 3 p. m. A peculiar feature in the register of the thermometer was the drop in the evening, going from 10 above at 6 o'clock to 5 above at 11 o'clock, or a drop of one degree each hour.

The coldest place yesterday was Marquette, Mich., where the thermometer was at zero. At Duluth and Buffalo it was two above, these being the next coldest cities.

The predictions for today indicate fair and warmer weather. Toward afternoon it is expected the thermometer will rise to about 50 above. The mercurial record for yesterday was as follows:

8 A. M.	4	4 P. M.	10
9 A. M.	5	5 P. M.	10
10 A. M.	7	6 P. M.	10
11 A. M.	9	7 P. M.	9
12 M.	10	8 P. M.	8
1 P. M.	10	9 P. M.	7
2 P. M.	10	10 P. M.	6
3 P. M.	11	11 P. M.	5

WIPING OUT VILLAGES.

Enormous Alpine Slide of Rock and Earth Destroys Homes of 2,200 Inhabitants.

GENEVA, SWITZERLAND, Feb. 3.—(Special Cable.)—The village of Chamoton, containing 1,700 inhabitants and Grug ay, containing 500 people, nearby, both in the valley of the Rhone in the canton of Valais, are threatened with annihilation by the fall of the whole neighboring mountain, part of which has already slipped and covered a whole forest.

The people of the two villages, aroused during the night by the roar of the falling earth and rock, abandoned their homes. The people are threatened with starvation and death from exposure. The federal authorities are gathering food and clothing. Two streams have been turned from their course and are dammed up above the villages.

TIDAL DISTURBANCE DESTROYS WHOLE CITY

PANAMA, Feb. 2.—(Copyright Cable.)—All cable communication with Buenaventura is still interrupted. A tidal disturbance noticed here last Wednesday, occasioned by earthquake, is rumored to have destroyed that city. The cable is broken in two places north and south of Buenaventura.

Philadelphia Postmaster Named.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Postmaster General Cortelyou today announced the appointment of Richard L. Ashhurst as postmaster at Philadelphia, to succeed Clayton McMichael.

Pittsburghers in Paris.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Among the Americans in Paris is Ida H. Steele of Pittsburgh.

GOVERNMENT OF NEWSIES CAN GIVE POINTERS TO CITY HALL

Municipal Officials Elected and Inducted Into Office at Newsboys' Home Amid Scenes of Enthusiasm—Joe Lecky Is Mayor.

Pittsburgh has a government of boys with a full list of municipal offices held by youngsters in their teens who rule as wisely as do their elders at City hall in Smithfield street. With a display of great enthusiasm and with a civic pride that is not manifest in the executive and legislature branches at City hall, a "school city" was organized last night at the Newsboys' Home with boys of the home composing the electorate and government of the "city."

Officials, who were nominated at party primaries and chosen in the manner of regularly conducted elections, were inducted into office amid the applause and cheers of their youthful fellows. Joe Lecky occupies the mayoralty chair and signs or vetoes the measures that come to him from select and common councils and executes the laws that are enacted for the government of the new city. Frank Crogan is judge and passes sentence upon offenders against the law. George Gorring is city clerk, and he keeps the records of the municipality. David Hayes is the clerk of the court.

The city is divided into three wards, the boundaries of which are fixed by the dormitories of the home. The members of select and common councils from the three wards are as follows: First ward, John McDonald and John Clark; Second ward, Kenneth Whitten and Jack Murray; Third ward, John Kearney and Stanley Fifer. Select council is composed of boys elected from the working class who are able to show a bank account, no matter how small. The councils determine the scale of prices for the working class.

The Newsboys' Home has had a form of self-government for some time, last summer the boys governing a camp which was maintained from May to October. The election and inaugural exercises were conducted last night by Dr. Wilson L. Gill of Philadelphia. The newsies proved themselves remarkably well versed in the practical methods of a municipal government and the prerogatives of public officials by some of the questions which they asked Dr. Gill. All the offices were filled except that of sheriff, the boys being unable to agree upon a candidate, and the election was postponed until next week.

ANOTHER REWARD OF $100 TO BE PAID

"Lucky Piece" Possessors Can't Afford to Miss the List of Calls in Tomorrow's Gazette.

ORDER YOUR PAPER TODAY

"Lucky, lucky, who's got the "Lucky Piece" that gets the $100?

In tomorrow's Sunday Gazette will appear another long list of calls for the return of the good luck discs, and heading the list will be a certain number which will bring double joy to the heart of some fortunate person. For in addition to many other smaller rewards, will be one of one hundred plunks in exchange for a trinket.

Every possessor of one of the good luck discs has a chance of getting that big reward. It may be you, or it may be some one else, but it's a certainty that all that cash is going out in a lump to someone. It simply has to go, for the "Lucky Piece" bearing this number has been lost, and so keen has been the search for the aluminum discs it is pretty certain this particuldar one rests comfortably in some one's pocketbook. Of course, no one really knows where it is. All The Gazette knows about this certain "Lucky Piece" is that it has been lost, and that $100 awaits its return.

The folly of selling or giving away a "Lucky Piece" if you have found one, has been demonstrated so often that the caution doesn't need to be repeated here. All there is to say is, if you have found a "Lucky Piece" stick tightly to it and watch the lists in The Gazettee. You may get that hundred. Pay particular attention to the calls which appear in tomorrow's Sunday Gazette, and if you see the number of your good luck disc mentioned, come in and exchange it for the amount named opposite in the list. And to be sure that you get to see the list, you'd better speak today to your carrier or newsdealer about having a copy of Pittsburgh's greatest Sunday newspaper left at your door. It's going to be an especially bright and interesting issue, and you won't miss anything by reading it.

Fresh evidence, if any is needed, came yesterday, to show that it pays to find "Lucky Pieces," for more rewards were claimed. The following persons either called or sent to The Gazette office and secured cash for theirs:

Lillian Miller, North Second street, Apollo, Pa., No. 35,178 ..... $2 00
Wilson Shaw, 127 Eleventh street, Indiana, Pa., No. 40,242 ..... 2 00
Arthur H. Torrance, Indiana, Pa., No. 40,-366 ..... 1 00
Mrs. Arthur Chattaway, Donora, Pa., No. 44,235 ..... 1 00
Aloysius Westbecher, 45 East Otterman st., Greensburg, Pa., No. 42,094 ..... 1 00
Fred. G. Latta, California, Pa., No. 41,322.. 1 00
J. O. McCormick, Buena Vista, Pa., No. 49,633 ..... 1 00
Robert Benzie, 5816 Mignonette street, No. 11,925 ..... 2 00
G. H. Leyda, 332 Houston street, Washington, Pa., No. 29,135 ..... 1 00

These and the hundreds of others who have benefited by The Gazette's generosity, show plainly that you stand a good chance of getting money for nothing if you hold a "Lucky Piece." Get tomorrow's Sunday Gazette and read carefully the list of new numbers announced which bring rewards. One hundred dollars can't be picked up every day, and you may find that amount is coming to you for the asking.

FIRE DESTROYS MANY HOUSES AND FACTORY

Over 200 Girl Employes Are Thrown Into Panic and Have Narrow Escape.

Loss $200,000.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CLEVELAND, O., Feb. 2.—Over 200 girls had a narrow escape from injury in a fire which destroyed the knit goods factory of N. J. Rich & Co., 21 dwellings adjoining the factory in Payne avenue and in both sides of Seventeenth street this afternoon. The origin of the fire is unknown. About 400 girls, boys and men were employed in the factory, the majority of the employes being girls. Many of the employes had gone home before the blaze was discovered, but those who were in the building when the flames started fled in a panic from the various floors.

Some of the girls were forced to flee from the factory without their street wraps, and as many of them reached the street they fell in a faint. The weather is bitterly cold and the girls suffered terribly from the cold. So far as could be learned no one was injured in the fire or wild flight from the burning structure.

The loss on the factory is placed at $75,-000. On the dwellings, some of which were apartment houses, the loss is estimated at $125,000. While the flames were sweeping both sides of Seventeenth street the heat was so intense that windows in the Cary apartment building, a block away from the fire, were cracked by the heat.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, February 2.

Boston—Siberian from Glasgow.
Havre—La Bretagne from New York.
Copenhagen—Hellig Olav from New York via Christiansand.

Sailed, February 2.

New York—Pannonia for Liverpool; Kentucky for Copenhagen.
Liverpool—Pretorian for Halifax and St. John, N. B.
Queenstown—Cymric for Boston.
Naples—Algeria and Leghorn for New York.
Sydney, N. S. W.—Miowera for Vancouver via Honolulu and Brisbane.
London—Philadelphia for Boston; Pomperanian for Halifax via Havre.
Ponta Delgada—Republic (from New York) for Gibraltar, Algiers, Genoa, Naples and Alexandria.
Naples—Hamburg for New York.
Moville—Pretorian for Halifax and St. John, N. B.

Passed, February 2.

Cape Race—Columbia from Glasgow and Moville for New York.
Sable Island—St. Louis from Southampton for New York; Carmania from Liverpool for New York.
Prawle Point—Badenia from Baltimore for Hamburg.
Lizard—Batavia, from New York for Hamburg.
Sagres—Brasilia from New York for Naples and Genoa.
Cape Spartel—Caronia from Naples for New York.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Lew Fields in "It Happened in Nordland," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
BELASCO—DeWolf Hopper in "Happyland," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts, headed by Valerie Bergere, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.
ALVIN—"The Sultan of Sulu," 2 and 8 p. m.
BIJOU—"For His Brother's Crime," 2 and 8 p. m.
GAYETY—Knickerbocker Burlesquers and special engagement of Jack O'Brien, champion heavyweight fighter, 2 and 8 p. m.
EMPIRE—"York State Folks," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.
WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—Tiger Lilies' Burlesque Company, 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Ice skating, with music, morning, afternoon and evening.
PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Pittsburgh orchestra, Emil Paur, conductor; Alois Burgstaller, tenor soloist, 2:15 p. m.
CARNEGIE INSTITUTE ART GALLERIES—Permanent collection exhibition, paintings and Neapolitan bronzes, 10 a. m. to 10 p. m.
PITTSBURGH CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—53d free organ recital by W. K. Steiner, invitation of trustees of the Carnegie Institute, 8 p. m.

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Frozen Pipes Cause Fire.
As a result of employes trying to thaw out a frozen water pipe, fire yesterday destroyed the South Side coal gas office building at Twenty-third and Josephine streets. Don't take chances on burning down the house. And don't sit around all day waiting for a plumber. Many pipes will freeze this cold weather. With electric current the Allegheny County Light Company, 435 Sixth avenue, will thaw them out without danger. Just hello 346 Grant, to contract department. We'll do the rest quickly and cheaply.

ERB KEEPS THE "GRAFT;" DURHAM GOT NONE

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never knew of him performing any service.

R. N. J. Reed makes his appearance on the payroll in the fourth quarter of 1902. He was on until near the end of 1905. The state paid him $3,040. McCulloch never knew of him performing service.

Edward J. Davis drew his first pay for the third quarter of 1903 and continued drawing until near the end of 1905. The state paid him $2,240. McCulloch never knew him to perform service.

Israel G. Stone did not get a good deal. He is a farmer. His name appears on the rolls first in the third quarter of 1904 and remained until July 1, 1905. The state paid him $810. Of Stone, Insurance Commissioner Martin tonight testified:

"Stone was not on the roll when I took charge. He had been removed the day before." Of the other men Martin said: "I did not know the other men. Davis and Reed were on the roll when I took charge of the department. I learned they belonged in Philadelphia. Durham told me he had appointed them. He said they examined insurance brokers and did other work. This occurred in September and in October I made an investigation. I found one had made an examination of some kind, I then dropped both men. I have never seen them."

Another Mysterious Payment.

The payrolls of the department submitted by McCulloch show that in 1899 Daniel J. McNichol received $350.01. It is not known what the money was paid for and so far the committee has not examined the vouchers to ascertain. This will be done tomorrow.

It was also shown that some of the Philadelphia members of the legislature were selling their stamps to the insurance department. They received the face value. Most of the members sell to scalpers who pay about $55.

From the payrolls of the department during the terms of Luper and Lambert, it is seen that both commissioners drew considerable in "extras." Luper, the Democrat, had a total of $1,558.84 for his term and Lambert got $1,082.50. The salary is now and was then $3,000 a year. Luper's extras would run from $50 to $237.25 a quarter. Lambert was on the roll for from $55 to $160 a quarter. For four quarters these extras were exactly $85 for Lambert. So far the committee has not inquired into this matter.

The committee will be in session tomorrow and the report will be completed Monday. The investigators will probably recommend the creation of the office of actuary with five deputies and that of examiner with five deputies. The men are to be paid out of the fees. Two cents a thousand is now charged and this rate will be reduced to one-half cent. Other abuses cannot be regulated at the extra session. The report will severely condemn those to whom condemnation is coming. It is also probable that suits will follow.

Expense Account Never Audited.

Deputy Commissioner McCulloch was recalled at the opening of the hearing to testify to the accounts of the department showing the receipts and expenditures for the past ten years. He said that all the money received by the department was charged and accounted for, and gave in detail the salaries paid to the clerks and the personal fees received by the commissioner.

Mr. McCulloch's testimony was in general confirmatory of that given by him before the committee yesterday. He was examined by Mr. Dewalt with regard to his expense account to show that this account was not revised or audited by the auditor general. McCulloch testified also that none of the actuarial fees paid to Luper, Durham, Eccles or Erb by the actuary was paid into the department for the use of the state. He said that he has been in the department for 22 years, and admitted that during that time no audit was ever made by the auditor general.

McCulloch said that former Commissioners Foster and Luper were at the office every day. Lambert was there once a week, and Durham "not so often."

Cross-examined by Mr. Horwitz, counsel for J. Clayton Erb, McCulloch said that the records of the department showed reports signed by Erb as actuary, and also by Erb and Foster. McCulloch denied having stated that Erb was actuary of the department during the last quarter of January, 1906. He said that so far as he knew, no business of the department was conducted by Durham in Philadelphia except the signing of checks.

H. Lambert, the next witness called, said he was a newspaper writer and was insurance commissioner from January, 1895, to January, 1899. During Lambert's administration Forster was the actuary of the department. Asked if it were true that Forster had paid to him during that time $28,-183 in actuarial fees, Lambert replied:

"I can't remember the exact amount, but I think the amount stated is $4,000 or $5,000 more than I received."

Took Care of Son-in-Law.

Lambert testified that he employed his son-in-law, Eccles, in the actuary's office because he was an expert accountant. He took Eccles away from a $4,000 position and arranged with Forster to pay him a portion of his actuarial fees to justify Eccles in accepting the position. He said he never made any demand of Forster for any portion of these fees, and he could see nothing wrong in accepting this money.

Lambert thought Forster had paid to him during the five years about $20,000. He could not recollect the exact amount of the actuarial fees paid by Forster to Eccles during his administration in addition to the salary of Eccles. He consulted the attorney general as to whether he was permitted to receive these actuarial fees and was advised by that head that there was nothing wrong in him accepting the money. He consulted the attorney general frequently with regard to the administration of his office, and also received written opinions from him.

"The actuary was under no obligation to pay the fees to you?"

"No; but he seemed anxious to do it."

"Was it not a fact that you were to receive 50 per cent, Eccles 20 per cent and Forster 30 per cent of the net receipts of the actuary?" asked Chairman Fox.

"I don't know that there was any such understanding," replied Lambert. "Forster volunteered to give me one-half of his net receipts."

Lambert said Eccles was a competent clerk, and the four years he was in the actuary's office he was doing the work of an assistant actuary. Besides this, he did other work for the department for which he received no pay. He took Eccles away from a $4,000 position and put him in the actuary's office because of his qualifications for the position.

Lambert declared, in reply to a question by Mr. Dewalt, that during his term as commissioner he was not connected with insurance companies as a director or in any other way. "I have been accused of it, but it is absolutely false, absolutely false," added Lambert, with emphasis.

Under examination by Mr. Sisson, Lambert said he was advised by the attorney general that he had the authority to collect the fees of the actuary, but he preferred that Forster should make the collections.

"When did you consult with the attorney general as to the disposition of these fees?" asked Mr. Stroup.

"About the time I took office," was the reply.

Excuse Offered for Durham.

"What was Eccles' position before he went into the actuary's office?" asked Chairman Fox.

"He was a broker with a Philadelphia firm."

Mr. Durham was called at the conclusion of Lambert's testimony. Mr. Brown explained that Durham was near Pasadena, Cal., and it was a physical impossibility for him to appear before the committee. He promised to produce a letter tomorrow from Durham's physician that he had sent him away from Philadelphia because of illness. Mr. Brown said that he had no personal knowledge of any money having been paid by Forster to Durham out of the actuary's fees.

Jesse Baker, actuary of the Penn Mutual Life Company of Philadelphia, was called to testify as to the qualifications necessary for an actuary. He thought the actuary of the insurance department should be paid one-half cent per $1,000 valuation for his services on the present volume of business. He considered it was most important that the state should have an actuary and one who would give all his time to the department. The ordinary mathematician or examiner of insurance companies was not competent to perform the duties of actuary. Mr. Barker said that all the taxes paid by the insurance companies came out of the pockets of the policy holders.

William H. Kingsley, secretary and treasurer of the Penn Mutual, testified that the last examination of the company was made between February 1, 1905, and April 25, jointly by the department of Pennsylvania, Wisconsin and Massachusetts, at a cost of $7,920. Of this $4,867 10 went to the Pennsylvania department for the services of Forster and others who assisted in the examination.

He thought $15 a day would be a fair compensation for an examiner of insurance companies and that the compensation of the actuary and examiner ought to be of equal amount.

Martin Denounces Fee System.

David Martin, who succeeded Durham as commissioner on July 1, 1905, was called, and said he spent two and three days a week at the department, and suggested that the fee system of the office was entirely wrong. He did not believe the head of any public department should fix the number and salaries of employes, that should be fixed by an act of assembly. He thought the salary of the commissioner should be $8,000 a year, which is the sum fixed by a bill now pending in the senate.

Martin said that Stone was dropped from the payroll of the office the day before he began as commissioner. Gray was not on the roll when Martin took office. Durham told Martin that Reed and Davis were employed as examiners in Philadelphia. Martin carried them on the roll until October and then dropped them. One of them made a return of the examination of a small company. Martin never saw either of the men at the department.

Martin said the actuary's fees for 1905 were $32,000, and declared emphatically that he did not receive any of these fees. He volunteered the statement that if the attorney general advised him he was entitled to receive certain fees he would take them, but he would not take any fees to which he did not believe he was entitled. He believed the fees of the department should be abolished and that the legislature should enact a law fixing the actuary's salary at $5,000 a year, and he should be required to give all his time to his official duties. Martin's fees for 1905 were $198 in addition to his salary.

The commissioner said in answer to a series of questions by Mr. Dewalt that he made no arrangement with Forster when he took office or since to take any part of fees of the actuary and that he never discussed this subject with Forster.

Erb Says He Was the Actuary.

J. Clayton Erb testified that he was connected with the insurance department from March, 1899, until January 1, 1906, as actuary and examiner. He never had any experience as an actuary before nor since his appointment. When he was appointed he made an arrangement with Forster to pay him a salary and the expenses of the office. For 1900 Forster's salary was $2,709; Erb received the difference outside the expense of the office. Erb said he did not profess to be an actuary, but when he first took office he was able to perform the work required of the actuary of the department.

When Durham was first appointed commissioner Forster went to see the commissioner about resigning his position. Erb said he knew from his experience about Capitol Hill that the place of actuary was good and he asked Durham for it and was appointed. He produced an official certificate showing that he was appointed soon after Durham became commissioner. He detailed at length the fire and assessment companies he examined during his connection with the department.

Erb said that in 1899 he received $1,614 from the department as compensation in excess of the actuary's fees. He could not tell what compensation he received from the department for work performed from 1900 until 1904. He explained that he made an effort to get from the auditor general's department the vouchers for his pay during this period, but he was unable to obtain them.

Erb retired from the stand to allow Deputy Commissioner McCulloch to testify to the compensation received by Erb during his connection with the department. He was paid $1,839 in 1899, $2,405 in 1900, $2,259 in 1901, $2,325 in 1902, $2,010 in 1903, $1,506 in 1904 and $800 in 1905. McCulloch explained that all these payments were by check by the department.

Erb was then recalled and examined by Mr. Dewalt as to the service he performed during the period. Erb was unable to give in detail the service he performed in return for his compensation. A portion of the pay was for the examination of insurance companies and the examination of titles to certain property.

Erb testified that Davis, Reed and Gray were paid for clerical service. He knew nothing about Stone and never saw him, to the best of his recollection.

It has been said that one of these gentlemen was on the Salter jury. Is that true? asked Mr. Dewalt.

I can't recollect. I know Gray wasn't. He was in the Philadelphia office all the time.

Was it Reed?

I don't know.

What did these four men do?

Whatever the commissioner told them. I don't know.

What did you do with the $141,222 81 actuarial fees you received from Forster from 1896 to 1904? asked Mr. Fox.

I kept it.

You paid none of it to Mr. Durham?

Absolutely none. It may surprise you, but I paid him absolutely none.

You say Mr. Durham never received any of this money?

Not one cent. I will go further and say that none of Durham's relatives received any of this money.

Erb said he never discussed these fees with Durham until about one year ago. Erb explained that he lost all he had in asphalt and went to Durham about that time and asked him for money, which Durham gave him. Then I opened up and told him everything, added the witness.

Erb said he was told by Parker L. Walter of Pittsburgh what the place of actuary was worth.

Walter wanted the place, Erb added, but when the witness learned what the job was worth he "went after it himself" and got it.

You never divided this money with any one? asked Chairman Fox.

No, sir; not by orders, or any other way.

Erb was then examined by Horwitz to show the character of the examinations made by him during his connection with the department.

Who is Mr. Stone? asked Mr. Dunsmore.

All I know about him in that I saw in the newspapers that he is a brother of ex-Gov Stone, replied Erb.

During the time you were in the service of the state did you hold other offices?

Yes, sir; I am secretary of the finance committee of Philadelphia city councils.

How much time did you give to the service of the state?

I was at the office in Philadelphia every day from 9 in the morning until 11 at night.

Actuary Forster was called to testify as to his compensation as an examiner for the department. He said that he never received one cent from the insurance department for these examinations, he was paid by the companies. Forster said this was his own private business, but he would give the committee the information, if it was desired. Mr. Pusey replied that it was. Forster then gave in detail his income for several years for examinations. His net income from these examinations, after the payment of clerical hire and other expenses, was about $1,500 a year. He thought an examiner ought to receive $3,000 or $3,500 a year and have a good corps of assistants.

After Forster had finished his testimony Chairman Fox stated that he had been advised by the assistant sergeant-at-arms of the senate by telephone from Wellsboro that Stone had left home "on foot this morning and has not been seen since." No return was made of the subpenas issued for Davis, Gray and Reed. The committee adjourned to meet at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

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PROMINENT CHURCHMEN ARE ASKED TO RESIGN

Dissatisfaction in the Eleventh United Presbyterian Congregation Is Brought to an End.

At a meeting of the congregation of the Eleventh United Presbyterian church, West End, last evening, the resignations of two of the most prominent members of the congregation were asked for. Both of the men who were asked to resign are trustees, and one of them is an elder. They are J. A. Calhoun and Joseph H. Moore. There has been dissatisfaction among the members of the church for some time. The trouble first originated, it is claimed, over a report made by the auditing committee which audited the books of the building committee in charge of building an addition to the church.

Several days ago it was reported that the pastor of the congregation, the Rev. Dr. W. R. Thompson, would resign, but this he denies. It is alleged a clique in the church, the supposed leaders of which were Messrs. Calhoun and Moore, wanted to oust the pastor. The majority of the congregation was not in favor of this and there had been a split for several weeks.

At the meeting last evening the following resolution was presented and passed:

Resolved, That it is the belief of this congregation that the best interests of the congregation demand the resignation from all official positions of Joseph H. Moore and J. A. Calhoun.

Mr. Calhoun was also secretary of the congregation. He had nothing to say about the trouble last evening. The pastor, the Rev. W. R. Thompson, also declined to say anything on the matter, and said information would have to be obtained from some other source. The matter will likely be brought before the Monongahela presbytery.

IT BECOMES FAMOUS.

Picture and Plans of Carnegie Museum to Appear in Encyclopedia Britannica in Article by Dr. Holland.

The Carnegie institute authorities consider a letter that has come to Dr. W. J. Holland, director of the Carnegie museum, a telling commentary, without further comment, on the remark of Controller John B. Larkin that the library and institute have "outlived their usefulness." Yesterday afternoon Dr. Holland received from the editor of the Encyclopedia Britannica in London, Hugh Chisholm, a letter requesting him to write for the next edition of the encyclopedia the article on "Museums."

The article is to be illustrated with plans and cuts of the institute now being finished in Schenley park. The article will cover the museums of the world, their history and development, and contain a discussion from the standpoint of an expert, of the objects, methods, arrangements and relation to exhibition and research of an ideal museum.

PADDY NEE NOT IN CONDITION AND LOSES

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Paddy Nee of Pittsburgh made a weak showing in his six-round fight here tonight against Steve Kinney of this city. Nee had expected to win the fight by a wide margin and had not trained into any sort of good condition for the go, but Kinney was on his mettle to redeem himself after an accidental knockout at his last fight, and walloped the Pittsburgh boy's body and head at will.

ALLEGED CONFIDENCE MEN ARE ARRESTED AT A HOTEL

James H. Strosnider and J. W. Andrews alleged to be confidence men, were arrested in a leading hotel yesterday by Detectives Rice and Lally. They are suspected of trying to fleece a local man out of a large sum of money. The Pittsburgher is said to have met one of the men on a train, the stranger passing as Robert Sells, owner of the Sells circus. The bogus Sells promised to put the Pittsburgher "next" to a "good thing" by writing a friend by the name of S. R. McDonald in New York to communicate with the Pittsburgher. It is alleged Strosnider and McDonald are the same person.

Spada Hearing Is Postponed.

MONONGAHELA, PA., Feb. 3.—(Special.)—The hearing of John Spada, Constantino Levi and Pietro Foraki, the alleged anarchists, which was to have been held here before Mayor H. T. Billick this morning, was postponed until next Wednesday, at the request of the United States district attorney. Assistant District Attorney C. L. V. Acheson of Washington, Pa., came here, but found the federal authorities were not prepared to hold the hearing.

Arrest Pittsburgh Man.

BUTLER, PA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—O. C. Woodworth of Pittsburgh and W. E. Millinger of Wheeling are in jail here on charges of false pretense. They were arrested at Petrolia. The complainant against Woodworth and Millinger is John Kirk, a wealthy farmer of Oakland township.

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WILL GO TO HARRISBURG TO BOOM GREATER CITY

Pittsburgh and Allegheny Business Men to Work for the Original Measure.

The chamber of commerce on Monday will send to Harrisburg a delegation of 50 business men from the two cities, principally from Allegheny, to urge the wisdom and necessity of a Greater Pittsburgh bill without the clause allowing Allegheny a separate vote.

Those members who will accompany the business men's delegation will be Messrs. R. H. Boggs, William E. Jones, John B. Jackson, R. B. Mellon, W. H. Stevenson, John W. Robinson, A. J. Logan, A. S. Robinson and John Eaton.

The Greater Pittsburgh committee of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association met yesterday afternoon and this committee was named to go to the capitol Monday to work for the Watson-Guthrie bill: Otto F. Felix, Charles H. Ogden, George H. Albertson, G. W. C. Johnson, J. S. Wightman, W. H. Williams, R. L. Mitchell and J. W. Wardrop.

The following telegram was sent to Senator David A. Wilbert and Representative Lawrence B. Cook at Harrisburg:

At a special meeting today the Greater Pittsburgh committee of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association indorsed the original Watson-Guthrie bill and resolved to do everything in its power to help it along, and to send a delegation to Harrisburgh to further the interests of this bill.

Sheriff James W. Dickson and Elliott Rodgers returned yesterday from Washington, where they had gone to seek the aid of Senator Penrose in having the annexation bill passed with the Henderson amendment. The sheriff says Penrose refused absolutely to take any hand in the Greater Pittsburgh controversy. Senator Knox was not seen.

FIRST BILL OF SESSION GOES TO THE GOVERNOR

The Philadelphia "Ripper" Repealer Passes Both Houses of the General Assembly.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, Feb. 2.—The senate confirmed without opposition all of the nominations sent in by the governor, except the members of the Quay monument commission and other commissions, the senate deciding not to take up these nominations for the reason that they were honorary appointments and not the subject of confirmation.

The McClain personal registration bill for third class cities passed first reading and the Sheatz bill for second and third class cities passed second reading in the house. A brief session of the house will be held tomorrow for the consideration of first reading bills, after which an adjournment will be taken until Monday night. The senate adjourned today until Monday.

The Philadelphia "ripper" repealer has passed finally in both bodies and is now in the hands of the governor. This is the first of the legislation advocated by the governor in the call for the extra session to reach this stage. The prospects are the session will close not later than February 16.

CAPTAIN OURSLER'S TRIAL.

Comes Up for Court-Martial on Charge of Substituting Men at Last Spring's Inspection.

Maj. Gen. Charles Miller issued orders yesterday for a court-martial to be held in Pittsburgh, February 27, for the trial of Capt. Howard B. Ousler of Company I, Fourteenth regiment. A clause inserted in the order providing for such others as may be brought before the court is said to mean that other captains in Pittsburgh are likely to be involved. The court will be presided over by Maj. Edward B. McCormick of Greensburg, judge advocate of the Second brigade, and will be made up of three officers from the Sixteenth regiment, two from the Tenth and two from the Fifth.

The charge against Capt. Ourseler is that he substituted three men at last spring's inspection, and was made by ex-Artificer Herbert Arthur, formerly of Company I, Fourteenth regiment. The case was heard before, but is reopened to ascertain whether the substitutions, if made, were with the personal knowledge of Capt. Ourseler.

SENATOR AND MRS. KNOX GUESTS AT WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—The President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained a dinner party at the White House tonight. The guests included Senator and Mrs. Knox.

Another Lien Against Schwab Home.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—On the $2,500,000 residence of Charles M. Schwab, Riverside drive and Seventy-third street, a mechanic's lien of $30,000 was filed today as part of a claim of $180,000 made against Baumgarten & Co., contractors, by Maurice Herbert, architect of the Schwab mansion. In Kings county, where Mr. Herbert lives, suit was begun today for $150,000 against the Baumgarten firm. Although Mr. Schwab took Christmas dinner in their new home, workmen are still in the house, completing details.

SCALE IS NOT ADOPTED

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have to first ask the operators for another conference in the central competitive field and arrange the basis of settlement, and then submit it to a national convention for approval. It is either that or fight it out.

Mitchell and Secretary Ryan of the Illinois miners have had in their minds for several months this plan of threatening the country with a gigantic strike. But Mitchell's plan has run away with him. He formulated it on the theory that the anthracite operators would refuse to meet him and that this threat of a general suspension would force the anthracite operators into the conference.

When Mitchell received the unexpected assurance that the anthracite operators would meet him. In the excitement and tangle created by the unlooked-for antagonisms of the operators he neglected to change his plans when he had been promised a conference, and allowed himself to be put into the ridiculous position of going to the anthracite meeting on February 15 without power to do anything.

Mitchell Unnerved.

Mitchell evidently feels the responsibility of his position very keenly. He was as white as chalk this morning when the operators forced an adjournment sine die.

The plan to collect an assessment of $1 per week per member to build up the treasury will no doubt be bowled over by the operators, as they will scarcely be foolish enough to check off a fund with which to whip themselves. This question of $1 per week assessment has been left in the hands of the national executive board.

There is plenty of time between now and April 1 for matters to adjust themselves. The operators still have one more card with which to worst Mitchell. As a last resort they can offer to submit their books to an impartial tribunal and arbitrate every clause of the scale, including the check-off. The miners' organization will never arbitrate the check-off, as it is the very life-blook of their system. This final play will further weaken Mitchell's position.

President May Act.

There have been intimations but no assertions that President Roosevelt and the National Civic federation may be asked to set in motion negotiations looking to a rehabilitation of the joint agreement, or at least a discussion of some possible means of bringing the operators and miners together for further negotiations.

When the miners' convention was called to order by President Mitchell this afternoon Delegate Hayes of Illinois said: "Mr. Chairman, if I am in order I will make a motion that Patrick Dolan be expelled from this organization for traitorious conduct and for treason to the district he represents."

Cheers and many cries of "second" greeted the motion.

Secretary-Treasurer Wilson took the floor and spoke against the adoption of the motion, saying he believed no good could come of it. He asked Delegate Hayes to withdraw the motion.

Delegate Clark of the Pittsburgh district accused Dolan of refusing to hold a caucus.

Dolan, speaking with emotion, disclaimed any ulterior motives in casting his vote. He denied having refused to call a caucus of district No. 5. Dolan asked the delegates not to take any action, saying he had been president of district No. 5 for 11 years, and if there was anything wrong with him his constituents would know it, and would take the proper action.

With a substitute motion of Chris Evans of Ohio that the entire subject be referred to the Pittsburgh district, a motion to adjourn for one hour in order to allow the delegates from district No. 5 to caucus was carried. The hall was cleared and the delegates from No. 5 at once began their caucuses.

When the national convention was reconvened Delegate William Dodds said:

On behalf of the delegates from district No. 5 I wish to inform this convention that we are with you in your action of yesterday, and that we want to be recorded as voting "No" on the question this morning.

He read a resolution which had been adopted unanimously by the delegates from district No. 5, and in substantiation every delegate from district No. 5, except President Dolan and Vice President Bellingham, rose. The resolution is:

Be it resolved, That we, the delegates of district No. 5, Pittsburgh, Pa., condemn the action and attitude of President P. Dolan and Vice President Bellingham by voting in the joint conference of miners and operators on February 2, 1906, contrary to the instructions given them by the delegates at our annual convention assembled in Pittsburgh, January 9 to 18, 1906.

Warning from Mitchell.

Secretary W. B. Wilson moved "in view of the action of the Pittsburgh delegation," that the motion of Delegate Hayes and the substitute offered by Delegate Evans, be laid upon the table. The motion was carried.

President Mitchell said before adjourning:

I wish to inform the convention that there will be a meeting of the national executive board at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, and to the delegates here assembled and to the members of the organization at home I want to say that they had better provide for a little defense fund of their own, and those who have not paid by anything in the past had better do so now in order that they may be self-sustaining for at least a reasonable length of time.

The motion to adjourn was carried amid cheers. The delegates rose and sang "America" before leaving the hall.

In an interview Mitchell said:

Never in the history of this country has a strike of such far-reaching effect been threatened. It means a national suspension of mining if the strike comes on at the expiration of our mining contracts, March 31, and it includes the anthracite districts. I do not know whether this action will have any effect on the meeting of the anthracite miners and operators on February 15, but it is the plan now to meet the anthracite operators at that time.

Far Reaching Effect.

According to figures given out by the national officers of the miners, they expect the strike, if there be one, to bring out about 100,000 non-union miners in West Virginia and Pennsylvania with 450,000 union miners. Of the 450,000 union men that would be affected, 150,000 will be out in the anthracite regions, 85,000 in the Pennsylvania bituminous district, 38,000 in Ohio, 17,000 in Indiana, 60,000 in Illinois, 16,000 in Iowa, 30,000 in West Virginia, 3,000 in Michigan and approximately 51,000 in Kansas, Missouri, Texas, Indian Territory and Arkansas.

The anthracite strike, said Mitchell, cost, as estimated by the anthracite strike commission, $25,000,000 of wages to the miners, $50,000,000 of profits to the operators, $25,500,000 loss in freight to railroads. Other items of loss raised the total figures much over $100,000,000 for the strike that lasted a little over twenty-six weeks.

President Mitchell estimated that four persons are dependent upon each miner, and a national strike, such as is planned, would affect 2,000,000 persons.

With assessments from now until April 1, the miners with near $3,000,000 on hand, could be in possession of something like $8,000,000 by April 1.

BILL FOR GREATER CITY

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the house municipal corporations committee. This plan gives the opponents of the joint vote proposition an opportunity to make a fight or secure delay in the reporting of the bill. Under any condition, it could not be read a first time before Tuesday night and more likely Wednesday. It would then require two days after that and afford much opportunity to fight over amendments.

If the senate wants to it can have the Cook bill read a first time Monday night and passed finally on Wednesday. With the separate vote proposition stricken out, it would be sent back to the house for concurrence. One roll call would settle the whole thing. This vote would be taken on Thursday and in the meantime ample opportunity would be given to canvass the house. This canvass will have to be made and the work thoroughly done.

The friends of a separate vote are active. They are urging the members who stood with them to stand pat. If a number of the Pittsburghers who devote their time in passing resolutions would come here and show the members why a joint vote is necessary and justifiable, much would be accomplished. With the final adjournment practically certain on a day between the 10th to 15th of February the time is getting very valuable.

Mr. Cook is canvassing the house and says he has converted a number of the members. Representatives Woodward, McWhinney and Esler, Allegheny county men, who voted for a separate vote, are now ready to assist in striking out the amendment. Several Western Pennsylvania members are also willing to aid "Farmer" Creasy, leader of the Democrats, who has been working among his followers. He is of the opinion that nearly all of them will favor a joint-vote bill.

FLINN IS CONFIDENT.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Ex-Senator William Flinn of Pittsburgh, and John Stevenson and J. P. Whitla of Sharon, all members of the Driggs-Seabury Company of Sharon, manufacturers of ordnance, were in the city today on business with the navy department. Mr. Flinn had a talk with Representatives Burke and Barchfeld regarding Pittsburgh's politics. He had no hesitation in saying that he believed Jenkinson would be elected mayor.

Mr. Flinn, while visiting in the office of Major McDowell, clerk of the house, was introduced to Representative Joseph C. Sibley. Although these two men have been in active politics for many years in Western Pennsylvania, this was the first time they ever met. Mr. Flinn left this afternoon for Philadelphia.

Oldest Postmaster Is Dead.

LA CROSSE, WIS., Feb. 2.—Thomas Minshall, postmaster at La Crescent, Minn., for 40 consecutive years, 1859 to 1899, is dead, at the age of 82 years. He held office the longest of any postmaster in the United States.

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BIG BLANK BOOK BARGAINS

JENKINSON AT MORE MEETINGS

The Republican Candidate for Mayor Spends Strenuous Evening in Canvass.

GUTHRIE OPENS CAMPAIGN

Four meetings of Republicans were attended last night by A. M. Jenkinson, the Republican candidate for mayor. At each Mr. Jenkinson made a brief speech. He said that he would like to be the mayor of Pittsburgh, and thought the office a prize worth going after, and he promised to give a business-like administration if he should be elected.

The first meeting was in the Frankstown school house, Forty-first ward, formerly Sterrett township. There a big crowd greeted Mr. Jenkinson.

From the school house Mr. Jenkinson was driven in an automobile to the Republican headquarters in the Seventeenth ward. There was a big crowd there and the candidate was loudly applauded. The next stop was at the Winebiddle club, Penn and Winebiddle avenues, where a smoker was held. He closed his evening's campaign at the Colonial Republican club where a smoker and lunch was given in honor of "groundhog day."

This evening Mr. Jenkinson will attend a meeting of the Thirty-second ward Republicans at headquarters on Grandview avenue. Should he be able to do so he may attend a Republican meeting at the Colfax school in the Twenty-second ward.

Those who spoke at the various meetings which Mr. Jenkinson attended last evening were U. G. Vogan, O. A. Ainsworth, William Metcalf, Jr., Dr. James P. McKee and A. J. Edwards.

George W. Guthrie, Democratic candidate, addressed a good meeting of Democrats, Citizens, Civics and Union Labor party men at the Rose street school house, Thirteenth ward. Harvey H. Francis presided. The other speakers were Wm. W. McElhaney, R. B. Ward, Richard McNally and William J. Brennen.

Commencing on Monday business men's daily meetings will be held at the Civic party's headquarters in Sixth avenue. The executive committee of the party met yesterday afternoon. Howard B. Oursler, who was headquarters manager for William A. Magee during the Republican primary contest, has declared for the Democratic candidate for mayor.

Colonial Club Holds Dinner.

"Groundhog" was the feature of the dinner given last night by the members of the Colonial Republican club at their club house, 227 Shady avenue, East End, in celebration of the advent of Bre'r Groundhog. While the dinner had no political significance, A. M. Jenkinson, candidate for mayor, and W. A. Magee, Jr., were present. The dinner was preceded by euchre. About 125 members and guests attended.

Citizens Ticket in Etna.

The Citizens party of Etna last night nominated the following ticket: Burgess, E. R. Emery; council, Gustavus Alperman, Joseph Ackerman; school directors, Harry Renouf, Dr. Charles Rowan; tax collector, Patrick T. Collins; auditor, Joseph Rohrer.

Sheraden Citizens Name Ticket.

The Citizens of Sheraden nominated the following ticket yesterday: Burgess, Thomas W. Crotzer; tax collector, S. S. Stahl; auditor, Don C. Forester; council, James Boden, C. L. Criss, Thomas Graham; school director, George Kestler, Robert Johnson, A. C. Hill.

THREE GREAT MASTERS ON ORCHESTRA PROGRAM

Beethoven, Wagner and Schubert Are Represented—Aloys Burgstaller Is the Soloist.

By CHARLES N. BOYD.

Beethoven, Wagner and Schubert were the composers drawn upon for last evening's program of the Pittsburgh orchestra, and no better or more evenly balanced program has yet been provided by Mr. Paur. The three instrumental movements of the ninth symphony came first on the list, followed by the third Leonore overture. For these Mr. Paur needed no score, and his interpretations of these masterworks are evidently the result of long, loving study.

Wagner's "Faust" overture, with its curious alternate suggestions of "Tristan" and "The Flying Dutchman," would have been more generally appreciated if the audience had made itself familiar with the story outlined in the program book. In spite of the power of this overture, it cannot be thoroughly enjoyed without an appreciation of the limits Wagner himself assigned to it.

Aloys Burgstaller sang the prize song from "Meistersinger" with the orchestra, and Schubert's "Der Doppelgaenger," "Der Wanderer" and Wagner's "Schmerzen" with piano accompaniment. No singer has a stronger hold on the Pittsburgh musical public than Mr. Burgstaller, and it is quite probable that his appearance had more to do with the size of the audience than the orchestral program.

The same program will be repeated this afternoon at 2:15, and today's concert will be the last appearance of the orchestra in Pittsburgh until March, on account of the long northern trip which begins at once.

BRUCE PATTON INQUEST.

Coroner Makes Official Inquiry Into Murder of Coraopolis Policeman.

Find Farmer Dead.

The inquest was held yesterday in the case of Policeman Bruce Patton, of Coraopolis, who was shot by Edward Wright, a negro, December 7, and the jury found Wright responsible for the murder. Wright escaped after the shooting, and has not been apprehended, although a reward of $500 has been offered for his capture.

Chester Weaver, aged 58, a farmer of Marshall township, was found dead in bed from heart disease, yesterday.

Catherine Laughlin, aged 19, of 150 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, who was married one month ago, dropped dead while visiting at the home of Mrs. Faustnaugh, 409 Main street, West End, yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Charles Sheldon Lectures.

The Rev. Dr. Charles Sheldon of Topeka, Kas., the prominent author and divine, attracted a large audience to Allegheny Carnegie music hall last night. Dr. Sheldon lectured on "Christian Citizenship," and in his talk outlined the duties that citizenship imposed upon all Christians. Interest in public affairs and activity at the polls to secure the election to office of reputable men, he said, was one of the most important essentials of Christian citizenship.

To Try Scandrett on Thursday.

Director Scandrett of the Allegheny department of public safety, will be placed on trial in criminal court next Thursday on a charge of extortion. The principal witness in the case will be John Reagan, who has testified before the district attorney that he paid Director Scandrett $100 for the privilege of opening and running a gambling house and a speakeasy in Darragh street.

Favors Consolidating Offices.

The special committee of the committee on finance of Allegheny councils, appointed to consider the ordinance authorizing the consolidation of the office of delinquent tax collector and that of the city treasurer, last night recommended the measure favorably. It will come up for consideration at the meeting of the finance committee Monday night.

Your Sunday meals will be unsatisfactory without a visit to McCandless' new stores, 413-415 Market street, today—opening day. Butter, dressed poultry, eggs, cheese.

Want a Situation?

The Sunday Gazette want ads—penny a word at main office or your nearest druggist.

HAMILTON'S

Three immensely interesting features of our special week-end offerings for today.

Mandolins, Talking Machines and used upright Pianos.

Remember that it is not necessary to pay all cash if it is not convenient. Any goods we sell are offered on monthly payments and the increase in cost is very slight for the accommodation.

Store Open Till 10 O'Clock Saturday Evening.

Mandolins and Fittings

Some bargains in very fine goods this week. Every one of the following instruments is strictly high-grade:

$22 Brandt.

One of the finest instruments made; only choicest materials, beautifully inlaid; complete with cloth case, Saturday only..... $11.25

$27.50 **Brandt** Mandolin, only.. $13.50
$32.50 **Brandt** Mandolin, only.. 17.50
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$12.00 **American** Mandolin..... 6.25
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$45.00 **"Fairbanks"** Mandolin... 27.50

Mandolin Strings

Finest silvered steel, plain and wrapped; per set of eight strings (regular price 50c), Saturday only..... 33c

Six full sets, eight strings each, $1.78.

"E" and "A" Mandolin Strings

In dozen lots. Each (regular price 35c), Saturday only..... 15c

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Best composition; all sizes and styles. Regular price, 5c each. Saturday only, each..... 3c
Or five for..... 10c

Talking Machines

Here's where the prices go tumbling. We're closing out a lot of slightly shopworn machines. You can't equal the values anywhere else.

All the following are full value, though the prices are less than for second-hand machines:

Offer No. 1.

We will sell on Saturday only 50 special "Mermaid" (new) machines, with 12 new Columbia records (our selection), $16 worth for less than half price..... $4.88

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Less than a dozen **Columbia** cylinder machines, regular price $7.50, Saturday only..... $4.45

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Twelve **Columbia** machines (cylinder), regular $10 and $12 machines; Saturday only, your choice for..... $6.15

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Six $18 **Columbia** graphophones, very slightly used. Take your choice, Saturday only. $8.75

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Less than two dozen $20, $25 and $30 **Columbia** disk machines, playing all size records, Saturday only, take your choice for. $13.95

Horns

Fifty large 30-inch Morning Glory Horns. Saturday only for, each..... $1.74

Record Boxes

One lot Record Boxes for 10-inch records. Regular price, $3; Saturday only..... $1.65

USED UPRIGHT PIANOS

The following selected from among the better instruments in our exchange room today. There are uprights here as low as $75.00. The following may be had on monthly payments if desired:

$650 **A. B. Chase** (8 years)..... $400
$660 **Mason & Hamlin** (1 year).. $475
$625 **A. B. Chase** (4 years)..... $350
$600 **Steinway** (6 years)..... $275
$600 **Knabe** (8 years)..... $240
$600 **Kranich & Bach** (8 years).. $225
$550 **Fischer** (2 years)..... $335
$450 **Fischer** (1 year)..... $325
$600 **Decker Bros.** (7 years)..... $300
$400 **Hardman** (6 years)..... $170
$375 **Emerson** (7 years)..... $150
$300 **Stuyvesant** (2 years)..... $150
$325 **Opera** (4 years)..... $125

Other exceptional bargains in both uprights and grands will be offered today in our exchange rooms from a stock of over 85 pianos.

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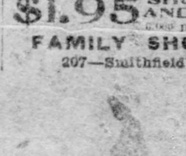

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This Store Opens at 8:30 A. M. and Closes at 5:00 P. M.

Following the Thermometer,

we, of course, draw attention to the cold weather defiers that we have in this store. They are here in all sorts of forms, in the form of cold weather clothing, in the form of cold weather hats, in the form of cold weather gloves, in the form of cold weather utilities for the house. Some people, you know, have a way of putting off things until they are compelled to make use of them. This news is principally for people who dally with Time.

Fur-Lined Coats for Women—Half Prices.

These coats can not only be used for driving, and for any out-of-door wear, but they are also very effective in real cold weather as an evening throw-over. Each of the coats has a fur collar and some have fur collars and cuffs. The linings are of different furs. The colors are black, garnet, olive, bride's gray, coachman's tan, etc.

$ 25 Fur Lined Coats, $12.50
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$ 68 Fur Lined Coats, $34.00
$ 78 Fur Lined Coats, $39.00
$175 Fur Lined Coats, $87.50

Cold Weather Protection for the Feet.

This is a notice for women, especially for young women, in which is set forth something about gaiters and alaskas and rubbers.

Women's Victoria Gaiters, 7 buttons $2.00
Young Ladies' Victoria Button Gaiters $1.75
Children's Victoria Button Gaiters $1.50
Women's Cloth Storm Wool Lined Alaskas ..... $1.00 pair
Young Ladies' Cloth Storm Wool Lined Alaskas ..... 85c pair
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$1.50 For slight figures. The figure-building corset, has stiffened bust forms attached to top of corset, small waist, short hip.

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This cold snap, no doubt, has caught lots of people napping. We have here about everything needed for zero weather, and while we are not going to enter into detail to any extent, we wish you to understand that, as said above, we have everything that goes toward making people comfortable in frigid weather, especially men and women who have to be on the street much of their time.

Special Pricing in the Misses' Department.

Mothers who have girls to clothe will find it to their own interest to look into the merits of the garments we offer for sale today at special prices.

Girls' Peter Thompson Coats in blue cheviot wool lined, embroidered emblem on sleeve—sizes 6 to 14 years — formerly $8.50, reduced to $6.50
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Misses' Covert Cloth Coats, semi-fitting, half lined with satin — formerly $18.00, reduced to $12.00

In the Interests of Babies.

It seems to us that Infants' Department of ours, second floor, East, is always bragging about its fine lines, of containing all requisites for the infants. Well, it has a right to brag, for it has the most complete lines that we know of. From these we mention:

Babies' Pique Bibs, 5c; with hand scallops, 25c.
Table Tucker Bibs, 2 for 25c.
Bootees 25c pair.
White Domet Skirts, 25c each.
Vests and Bands, 25c each.
Muli Caps, with hand-run tucks and ruche, 25c each.
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Last Reduction on Fur Caps for Men—Half Price.

Today will be a good time for men to indulge in a sealskin cap, a real good cap of sealskin, and pay about what an ordinary cap costs—for instance—

$25.00 Sealskin Caps for $12.50
$20.00 Sealskin Caps for $10.00
$15.00 Sealskin Caps for $ 7.50
$ 5.00 Muskrat Caps for $ 2.50
$ 4.00 Coney Fur Caps, $ 2.00

We will also have an incentive for men and boys to indulge in cloth caps at a bargain today. All cloth caps will be sold for half price.

Cold Weather Comforts for Women.

Warm things in feminine dress that will help you to forget how really cold the weather is. And when you contemplate the prices, we assure you, you will find them as comfortable as the garments.

About fifty odd vests, blouses and sweaters, various styles and colors, including white, black, red and fancy combinations. Formerly $1.50 $2.75, $3.75 and $5.00, for, each $1.00

Wool Blouses and Sweaters, in white, garnet, gray and navy, formerly $3.00, $4.50 and $5.00, for, each $2.00

Wool Waists, including some of Fisk, Clark & Flagg's products, formerly $8.50, $9.00 and $10.00, for, each $3.50

Waists of wool batiste, mohair and botany flannel, in black, white and colors, formerly $2.50 and $3.00, for $1.00

Very fine waists of wool delaine, among them some styles suitable for evening wear, trimmed with Baby, Irish, German Val. laces and hand loom embroideries and fine tucking; formerly $15.00 for $7.50, formerly $12.00, for..... $6.00

Weather Defiers for Indoors.

If your house is kept at the proper temperature you will scarcely realize that the weather is cold, even if the cold snap be a sudden one. If you haven't the proper facilities to this end, we have, and the prices on them very low indeed. In the West Basement, Housefurnishing Department.

The Indoor Defiers—

Copper Reflector Stoves, $1.50 to $10.00.
Cylinder Heaters, 75c to $2.00.
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Asbestos Grate Stoves, $2.50 to $12.50.
Asbestos for replacing Grates, 30c pound.
Best quality Tubing, 10c a foot.

The Outdoor Defiers—

Carriage and Automobile Foot Warmers, charcoal and hot water, $3.00 and $5.00 each.
Charcoal, a box, 75c.

New Styles in Men's Automobile Caps.

Men who own machines will be pleased, no doubt, to see the newest styles in automobile caps. Those who employ chauffeurs will also be interested in this showing.

You can always count upon finding the latest hat of every character in our Men's Hat Store, but we give you notice from time to time lest you forget.

Black Leather Tourist Caps goggles attached, can be used without the goggles $3.00
Leather Caps, in black and in tan, at $1.50 to $3.00
English Buck Leather Caps.... $4.00
Silk Waterproof and Cravenette Caps, a variety of shapes, $1.50 to $3.00

Men's Fur Coats for Half Prices.

If you are the owner of an auto or a rig of any kind that you use for pleasure, you will be interested in these fur coats at half price.

Their mates sold for $40.00, $50.00 and $60.00, and you can have your choice at $20.00, $25.00 and $30.00.

There is not so much of a reduction on fur lined coats, those stylish coats that have Persian lamb's collars, but still the reductions are worth considering.

$125 Fur Lined Coats, $ 85.00
$135 Fur Lined Coats, $ 95.00
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$450 Fur Lined Coats, $300.00

Men's Underwear.

Of course you know we have the very best grades of underwear and that we sell them for the most reasonable prices. Look over these lines:

Gray Merino, $1.00 and $1.50 a garment.
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White Merino, $1.75 and $2.00 a garment.
White Cotton, $1.25 and $1.50 a garment.
Linen Mesh, $3.25 a garment.

Leggin Weather.

This is the sort of weather that makes women and girls and youngsters think of leggins. At our Stocking Counter we have the very best sort. An idea—

Women's Leggins of jersey cloth, button to knee, $1.00 and $1.50 a pair.
Children's Jersey Leggins, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50 pair.
Boys' Leather Leggins, $2.50 pair.
Women's and Children's Knitted Leggins, from 35c up to $1.00.
Children's black, tan and white Panta Leggins, $1.75 a pair to $4.50.
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Saturday, February 3, 1906.

As the Pittsburgh mayoralty campaign progresses, the manner in which the Republican candidate is conducting his personal canvass continues to elicit the admiration not only of his supporters, but of his political opponents. Without boasting or flowery rhetoric, Mr. Jenkinson declares his program: to give Pittsburgh that straight, clean, business administration which it so much needs and has so long lacked. It is a program which appeals forcibly to this great business and industrial community. Mr. Jenkinson's talk has the right ring, and his friends know that what he promises he will perform.

In the discovery by Mrs. I. N. Harper, chief tenement house inspector, of a building in Pittsburgh which shelters 1,000 persons and is unfit for human habitation, is illustrated an evil which is much more apparent in New York and Chicago, but has attained alarming proportions in our own city. Mrs. Harper also cites an instance of three married couples and four children living in one room nine feet square. The tenement inspectors are doing good work, but their labors would be lightened were foreign immigration properly restricted.

The final arrival of the long-looked-for cold wave illustrates the wisdom of sticking consistently to a weather prediction. Its fulfillment, though delayed, is inevitable. Pittsburgh, prosperous and warmly clad for the most part, welcomes the seasonable temperature, which is all the more appreciated because of the abnormal conditions that have prevailed during most of the winter. For those who observe the necessary precautions, this bracing atmosphere is healthgiving, and the longer it lasts the better we shall be prepared to endure the summer's heat when it comes.

One would never have suspected that a prototype of New York's "society" weekly, which has lately become especially notorious, existed in China, but we have the word of a United States consul that such is the case. In speaking of journalism in the Flowery Kingdom he avers that while it boasts many trustworthy newspapers, there are also a number of irresponsible publications, and the means used by their conductors to keep them alive "have a striking similarity" to those employed by like journals in this country. This is a stride in "civilization" in China for which we were hardly prepared.

Programs of railroad companies for improvements in the Pittsburgh district during 1906, it is said, include the elimination of few of those danger points, the grade crossings. This is not encouraging. Among the many grade crossings within the city limits there are a few, in the more crowded sections, which are most conspicuously a menace to life and limb, besides a constant annoyance in the retarding of vehicles and pedestrians. Some of these, it is stated, are likely to remain "for years to come." The grade crossing is bad enough in the small town. It should have no place in the big, modern city.

Senator Heyburn's bill, now before the senate committee on interstate commerce, providing that at the request of an owner, live stock may be in transit 36 hours instead of 28 hours without unloading, is meeting with determined opposition from the various societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Opponents of the measure have made some interesting though harrowing exhibits of photographs, showing the manner in which live stock are packed into close quarters for long journeys. The campaign of education regarding a subject that is little understood should be generally beneficial whether the proposed bill becomes a law or not.

During the last few weeks the Russian secret police have been unusually active in their campaign against the revolutionists whose favorite weapon is assassination. They are assisted in this work by the spirit of bravado which inspires the would-be assassins to send warnings to intended victims. Letters of this character have just led to the arrest of a number of revolutionists. The receipt by a Berlin banker of letters threatening assassination, because of his loans to the Russian government, may be the work of jokers. The warnings bear all the earmarks of the revolutionists, however, and their jokes, if practical, are likely to be grim.

Hope for Greater Pittsburgh.

There were gratifying reports yesterday of a change of heart on the part of those Democratic legislators who on Thursday imperilled the cause of Greater Pittsburgh by supporting the amendment introduced by the foes of that project. This change of heart may be real or it may be pretended. But public opinion is aroused as never before. Even those who have hitherto been lukewarm in their support perceive the necessity for concerted, vigorous action to insure the passage of the original unamended bill drawn under the auspices of the Pittsburgh chamber of commerce. At meetings of the municipal affairs committee of the chamber of commerce and the Greater Pittsburgh committee of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, held yesterday afternoon, committees of representative men were appointed to go to Harrisburg and combat the danger which menaces this most important measure. A chief reason for calling the extra session of the legislature was the enactment of legislation to make the Greater Pittsburgh possible. It is to be hoped the legislature will not incur the odium of thus signally failing in its obvious duty.

The amended chamber of commerce bill was passed finally in the house yesterday, no attempt being made, as was wise, to have the objectionable amendment stricken from the bill at this time. The Wilbert bill comes up for final passage in the senate Monday night. As our Harrisburg correspondent points out, every hour counts, with final adjournment so near. The best wishes of the community will accompany the representative business men who go to Harrisburg to turn partial defeat into victory.

Britain's Military Schools.

Since the United States admittedly possesses the best system in the world for the education of officers in the army, no little interest will be aroused by the reported purpose of a newly elected element in parliament to introduce reforms in the British system. The new parliament, it is said, will be the most democratic that has ever assembled. The present English military academies are training schools for aristocrats. It is natural an effort should be made to widen the class from which officers may be chosen for the army. There are two government schools in England corresponding in some measure to our military academy at West Point: the Royal military academy at Woolwich, for engineers and artillery cadets, and the royal military college at Sandhurst, for cavalry and infantry cadets. Examinations, both mental and physical, are rigid, but no candidate is allowed to compete who has not been passed by the commander-in-chief as socially qualified to hold a commission. Successful candidates pay half-yearly fees, the amount varying with the social status of their families. Sons of "private gentlemen," for instance, pay $750 each six months. Sons of admirals or generals pay $400. If a cadet is the son of an officer below the rank of lieutenant colonel in the army or commander in the navy, he pays but $200. Tuition of sons of deceased officers whose families are in poor circumstances is fixed at $100 each half year. Cadets are allowed 75 cents a day, but the sum does not nearly meet their expenses, since they must supply their own clothes and other necessaries. The course is two years.

In many walks of life in England the poor boy now competes on equal terms with his rich brother. Sir Thomas Lipton, Alfred Harmsworth, who has lately been made a peer, and numerous other self-made men illustrate the truth of the statement. The opinion is gaining ground that the same freedom of competition should be extended to ambitious boys desiring to follow a military career. A long, hard fight will be necessary to bring this about.

Queer Ohio Legislation.

Ohio's legislature has indulged in some marvelous legislation in passing an alleged capital punishment law and a measure which makes it illegal to manufacture, sell or give cigarets away within the borders of the state. In the first instance its action is unique, since it provides that a murderer may be electrocuted if he is convicted of killing two persons, but can only be imprisoned for life for killing one. This is a singular contradiction of the object of the original bill, which sought to abolish capital punishment.

The double crime was far from the intention of the patron of the bill, who meant to abolish capital punishment. The provision that was injected into the measure, providing for the execution of murderers only for double crimes, most clearly sacrifices the intent and principle of the original bill, and, in a way, makes the statute contradictory. It specifies life imprisonment for one murder and the electric chair and chaos for two or more. Is not one murder as bad as a dozen, so far as the logic of punishment goes? Here is where the Ohio law is at fault. It seeks to abolish capital punishment, yet admits that it is proper in cumulative crimes. The same law admits that murder is a capital crime, but strangely states that two offenses must constitute the infliction of the capital punishment. The only rational explanation to be given of the action of the majority of the Ohio legislature is that the amendment was attached to the bill to vitiate its purpose—the abolishment of capital punishment.

The cigaret law is equally visionary as to prevention of offenses. Here, again, amendments destroy the intent of the originator of the measure, which restricted the use of cigarets by either minors or adults. This was cut out and the bill amended, making it illegal to "manufacture, sell or give cigarets away within the borders of the state." However, cigarets can be manufactured to be sold only without the borders of the state. This naturally weakens the purpose of the author of the measure, who sought to protect minors against the cigaret habit. Here, again, is a paradox. Cigarets can be manufactured in Ohio provided the manufacturers sell them outside of the state lines. The minor or adult can smoke them provided he buys them outside the state limits. Neither of the Ohio laws will decrease crime or abate a habit.

The Business Situation.

The statistical contributions of the week all tend to prove that the volume of trade is unprecedentedly large and fairly profitable. The United States Steel Corporation reported for the December quarter the largest net earnings for any corresponding period since its organization, and the largest amount of business on its books in its history. The increase in the amount of unfilled orders is more than 60 per cent, as compared with the beginning of 1905. The Pennsylvania railroad, whose business is a mirror of industrial and general trade conditions, reported an increase in gross earnings for December of more than $2,000,000, and an increase in net earnings of $1,173,000. The amount of the checks passing through the Pittsburgh clearing house in January exceeded $256,000,000, which is not only the largest total for any month of record, but an increase of $55,000,000 over the same month last year. Finally, the official reports of the 32 national banks of Pittsburgh show total deposits in excess of $169,000,000, which is an increase of $5,000,000 compared with the November reports and an increase of more than $20,000,000 compared with the figures for January last year.

Summarized, these statistics show that orders placed for iron and steel products for future delivery are larger than ever before, which is evidence of confidence in the future; that the distribution of all kinds of products which go to make up railroad freight is larger than ever before, which indicates increased consumption, and that the checking and depositing growing out of increased commercial transactions extend the activity in financial circles.

The condition of actual business and sentiment reflected in these figures is the sustaining influence in the stock market. How far the latter has discounted the future is a matter that can be determined only by time. Men experienced in investment and speculative values feel that the stock market has been going too fast, and the character of the dealings suggests that the public is relieving the professional speculators of their accumulations at lower prices. One of the things which brought about the financial and industrial reaction of 1903 was that business men became so interested in speculation that they paid more attention to Wall street than to their legitimate interests. When the reaction came and the terrible shrinkage in market values occurred, the public was so depressed by losses in the stock market that it did not have the usual courage to apply to legitimate business affairs. The result was that optimism gave place to pessimism and the country was set back two years in the development of its resources. Bankers can do much to avert a repetition of this experience.

From statements made by New York millionaires to the tax commissioners, it is evident either some famous fortunes have been greatly overrated or else some men who ought to know better are intentionally mistaken.

"Ten feet of encyclopedias for $20" advertises one publisher, while another declares: "This historical set weighs 15 pounds." No excuse for empty bookshelves nowadays, if there is for empty heads.

The bonanza miner from the far west is surprised to find the effete east less cordial than upon his first visit. He may be just as brilliant as of yore, but our eyes have become accustomed to the glare.

"I have earned $110,000 by the use of my fists," says a retired pugilist. Yet there are those who say there is no money in manual labor.

Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner's final admission that she did marry again will confirm the impression of the bridegroom and the officiating clergyman.

British Conservatives, in choosing a leader, are hesitating between the man with the monocle and the man with the golf stick.

New Jersey's threat to oust the trusts has caused the sprouting of a large crop of skepticism in the columns of the nation's press.

Bostonians who have subscribed $100,000 to a home for stray canines are believers in a commendable "yellow dog fund."

Yesterday was the coldest day of the winter, but there is a colder one in store this month for the Pittsburgh Democracy.

Buffalo boasts a new women's club called "The Talkers," which will doubtless have no trouble living up to its name.

Senator Tillman now declares he is "a plain, blunt man." His favorite weapon also seems to be losing its sharpness.

The fact that there is cold weather in February seems to be regarded as a live news item in all parts of the country.

Russian assassins who send out advance notices are not always able to give the performance exactly as advertised.

To dispose of periodical rumors it might be advisable to hang up a sign on the Philippines reading: "Not for sale."

"Saving Niagara" eloquence continues to flow as unceasingly as the great cataract.

Now the new British government has incurred the support of the London Times.

Great on Grandchildren.

The sultan of Turkey says nothing about taking the vacant seat of the grandfather of Europe, but he has no reason to fear the count in a showdown of grandchildren.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

The Old Apprehension.

Remarkable how those Democratic "reformers" in the legislature shy at civil service reform when it happens to apply to jobs they wish to gobble.—Harrisburg Telegraph.

Quiet Observations on Ways of the World

Better to Teach the Boys Now Than Scold Them When They Become Men.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

We hear a great deal of complaint about men for not living and acting right. Have you ever tried to figure out the why and the wherefore of men being bad or indifferent?

Probably not, for most people are satisfied with jawing about things that don't happen to please them. Were they to take up the case and investigate it carefully they would, in most instances, find that the man was acting according to his education and training.

"As the boy is reared so the man will be," is a rule of nature, if not a law.

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Schooling is not necessarily education. To school a man is to instill knowledge into him, while edcation is to bring out and develop the talent with which he was endowed by nature.

The boy who takes up a course of schooling with a pocketful of money mixes in with a lot of good fellows, and has a "bully good" time at college, may come home well schooled, but he is likely to be poorly educated.

The boy who has his mind and heart set on an education in order that he may take up and successfully prosecute some branch of business, will return better fitted for life, although he may have had to wear old clothes, live in a cheap boarding house, or work his way. He has been disciplined, which is an essential part of a practical education.

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Discipline is no less essential to the success of those who do not take college courses.

Considering the fact that the number of those who go directly from the common school into the business world, it might be considered even more essential that these should be carefully disciplined and taught how to so act that they will be considered well mannered when they have become men.

There is a great demand just now for boys qualified to enter shops and offices. In fact, there is a dearth of good boys.

What is meant by a good boy is one who is moral, well mannered and so disciplined that he is prompt and willing to obey, and shows a disposition to take a personal interest in work and a desire to excel.

Such a boy will have no difficulty in finding a good place, and if he is persevering he will soon find himself going up higher. The head men in most big business concerns were just such boys.

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How are boys to get such training? It is not given in schools, and under present conditions there is no room for it.

Room could be made for it, and it ought to be, for too many boys are going to the bad for the want of it.

Teachers say they have no time to give pupils instructions in morals, manners, or anything except what is laid down on the chart given them when they begin the term and hardly enough to enable them to so practice the branches which they have to teach.

Seeing that so much depends on the deportment of boys and girls who go out to make livings for themselves, it is a wonder, if not a shame, that more attention is not given to the really essential feature of education.

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Where there is a will there is a way, is an old saying, and it is, to all intents and purposes, true.

Those in charge of the schools in Los Angeles, Cal., found a way, and so far it has not been found to interfere with the regular school exercises, but it has been found to improve the tone of all the classes in all the grades.

From the following outline you can see how easily it may be done.

First year enforce habits of cleanliness, neatness and obedience. Tell simple stories to illustrate honesty, truthfulness and kindness. Tell what is, and what is not, proper behavior on playground, the street and at home. Teach a few short maxims, and have pupils repeat them in concert.

Second year—Same as first year. Insist upon neatness in work as well as in person. Encourage politeness to teachers and schoolmates. Teach table manners. Teach a few more maxims. Make use of little incidents that occur in the schoolroom and upon the playground, involving the question or right and wrong, to improve the moral virtues.

Third year—Illustrate, when possible, by incident or story, the evil effects of deceit, lying, stealing, tattling, idleness, whining. Teach forms of greeting; care for others' property; kindness; respect for age; prompt obedience; politeness; courage in doing right and defending the weak.

Fourth year—Tell suitable stories, repeat maxims, insist upon general neatness, and pure and chaste language.

Fifth year—Give conversational lessons on politeness and rules of deportment at home and in public places. Illustrate by common incidents of noticeably good or bad behavior. Neatness in person, desk, books, papers etc., should be insisted upon at all times.

Sixth year—Teach energy, activity, directness of purpose, self-reliance, perseverance and endurance, as contributing to success in life; apply them to the performance of school duties. Show the evil effect of want of energy, indecision, laxity of purpose.

Seventh year—Give lessons on the rights of property; duties of citizenship; respect for authority; respect for age; filial obedience. Take advantage of current events to teach lessons in manners and morals.

Eighth year—Adapt any of the suggestions in lower grades on this subject that are suitable for your class. Give an occasional earnest talk (no set speeches). Remember that illustrations and facts are better than theories.

Why the Packers Are Wriggling.

The beef packers and their lawyers are doing a sight of wriggling, maneuvering and dodging in their efforts to escape a trial on the charge of conspiracy to violate the anti-trust laws of the United States, as alleged in the indictments returned against the packers last spring. For, it must be borne in mind, the court proceedings now in progress in Chicago are purely preliminary to the trial of the cases on their merits. It is in a frantic and desperate attempt to prevent the threatened trial that the present contortions are being exhibited.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The World's a Stage and We the Players

Gossip of Men and Things on Both Sides of the Dazzling Footlights.

By C. M. BREGG.

There cannot be unqualified indorsement of the movement in several states to have laws passed making it mandatory upon the manager of a theater to admit every purchaser of a seat to his theater and restricting to exceedingly narrow limits the discretion now allowed such managers as to who shall or shall not be admitted. I know that the evil sought to be met is one that should find a remedy. That evil was the basis of the now celebrated Metcalf case, and relates to the arbitrary and arrogant power of the manager of a theater to exclude from his theater persons whose business requires them to be there, but who, because they are personally objectionable or indulge in outspoken and frank criticism, are debarred.

It is a difficult question to decide, but I believe a law leaving a theater manager no power of discrimination would work far greater evil in some instances than the present loose method. There are few managers brave enough to fly in the face of public sentiment and exclude from their houses a dramatic critic simply because his reviews do not measure up to the manager's own ideas. I have always contended that Mr. Metcalf's case was very much obscured by the racial prejudices that the journal of which he was the critic displayed. There are few cases where the law of compulsion is needed to protect the rights of a dramatic critic, but there are very many instances in which the right of selection on the part of a manager is absolutely necessary to protect his patrons against annoyance and perhaps serious inconvenience. Drunkenness on the part of a person who applies for admission to a theater where well-behaved, decent people attend should be sufficient ground for exclusion. Nor need a condition of intoxication bordering on collapse be necessary to make their expulsion expedient.

Intoxicated persons who haven't sufficient control of their mental faculties to behave themselves quietly and orderly have no right to make all the seat holders in their vicinity uncomfortable, whether they be dressed in evening clothes or are just simply plain unornamented drunks.

But this is not the only class of objectionables toward whom a theater manager should be allowed discretionary powers of refusal. The manager of a Washington theater, the then leading house of that city, discovered one evening that one of the boxes on the orchestra floor had been sold to a party of women of the underworld. He promptly refused to honor the seat checks when the holders presented themselves. He offered to refund the money or place the party in a less conspicuous part of the house, but all his offers were refused and in a subsequent suit damages were recovered against the manager for $1,500. And yet who will not say that this manager was acting in behalf of his regular clientele and in defense of public decency and good order. His audience on that particular evening was composed of the best people of the Capital City, and, whatever may have been the varying moral weaknesses of so large an assembly there was no reason why it should have been contaminated by this open and defiant flaunting of vice in unmistakable guise.

Public sympathy and sentiment may be easily swayed and in very many instances the wrong way, as witness the maudlin expressions of interest manifested over condemned murderers and such ilk. I have no doubt there are plenty of people who are ready to say that the drunken man and the shameless woman have quite as much right to see a theatrical performance as anybody else; but that is extravagant and false sentiment, not sound argument.

If men want to get drunk or women select evil lives the law of personal liberty allows them the privilege, but the laws of human society in every relation insists that they should be isolated from places where their example and presence may contaminate other people.

It will be seen by these illustrations that a law depriving theater managers of all discrimination and power in the selection of the patronage of a theater will work harm. I have not mentioned the color issue in this comment for the reason that it is only in rare instances these days that trouble is caused on this score. The good sense of the colored theatergoer and the tact displayed by managers usually adjust the friction at this point. Racial prejudice that selects the negro against which to exercise itself most pointedly is a social fact that cannot be argued away, but the prejudice rarely has a chance for expression in theaters for the reason that the colored people have sensibly accepted certain customs that have become fixed, and where properly administered work no great harm or inconvenience to any of the parties concerned.

These facts that enter into the daily business of conducting a first-class theater so as to conserve orderliness and decency prove that a law of drastic quality, depriving theater managers of the power of selection and rejection at proper times, would work serious injury to the entire theater-going public.

While on this subject of conducting a theater it may be well to observe that the public does not always know how much of the autocratic power of a manager may be used in behalf of decency and good moral influence. There is a modest gentleman at the first performance at the Grand opera house each week who sits with pencil and notebook and makes copious notes. He is the real critic of the "show," for later he is going to hand his report to Manager Davis and then there will be trouble behind the scenes.

I am not giving a theater mere publicity by this reference, but noting in the order of daily gossip in this column facts that take place on the stage of the world about us. A rigid censorship of vaudeville is a cheering evidence that the stage is susceptible of elevation from within. Of course other variety and vaudeville houses exercise a censorship, but when even a slight suggestion, such as the humorous school boy use of a pin, as in one of the acts at the Grand this week, is cut out, the fact is worthy of note in any comment on the stage that is meant to be helpful.

SOUND ADVICE FROM SECRETARY SHAW

Doesn't Encourage Government Clerks to Insist on Their Pension Scheme.

The secretary of the treasury the other evening was invited to talk to what is known as the United States Civil Service Retiring association. The object of the association is not, as its name might imply, to promote retirement from the civil service, but to secure legislation by which a fund may be provided to pay pensions on retirement at a certain age and after a certain term of service. The plan does not seem a good one to Secretary Shaw, and he very frankly told the association why. It would, of course, be an inducement to remain in the service until the retirement pension is earned. Mr. Shaw thinks that the body of the clerks in the service, all those that have routine work only to do, not requiring initiative, but tending to mechanical drudgery, remain in the service much too long as it is. He would if he had his way allow those hereafter appointed to remain only six years and then send them back to their various states, unless they were especially selected by executive order for chiefs of division, etc., the selection to be solely on their records and without reference to political conditions. And especially he exhorted his hearers not to ask the government to put them on an allowance, and to take a percentage of their pay to provide future pensions for them, but prayed them to take care of their own affairs, make their own provision for the future, stand on their own feet, and stand like men.

Sound in Spirit.

We are free to admit that the plan of the secretary is a little radical, and, human nature being what it is, a little harsh. But it is sound in spirit. Probably most of the clerks that would be sent home after six years who would become mere drudges in the public service would not be much more than drudges anywhere, for a good deal of the work of the world is done by men and women of that sort. But at least they would not be retained in the public service under conditions that foster dullness. As Mr. Shaws points out, the pay of the ordinary clerk in the department is from 25 per cent to 50 per cent higher than like ability commands in private life, and he might have added that the amount of work is decidedly less. Reckoned by the hour or the piece, the common clerk's work is practically twice as well paid as in private life. Relatively large pay for light work is demoralizing and benumbing.

The one consideration which especially appeals to the secretary in favor of his plan is that it would dispel the feeling that office holding is a vested right, and would tend to make the clerks more prudent in their expenses. He stated that he had secured a voluntary report from 2,500 clerks in his department as to their accumulations. One thousand and fifty had an average accumulation of $2,000; 1,300 had neither accummulation nor indebtedness: 150 had an average indebtedness of $1,000. In other words, 58 per cent of these well-paid and lightly worked clerks had either used up their income as they went along, or had run in debt.

Effect of Retirment Fund.

As a natural consequence of this mode of living the average clerk inclines to buy on credit and pays high prices, so that the cost of his living is 10 per cent or 25 per cent higher than it would be elsewhere. Obviously it is not either the duty or the right of the government to foster this condition of things, and Mr. Shaw is distinctly of the opinion that a retirement fund would have that effect. He proposes in place of it the organization of a department savings bank, pointing out that an average annual deposit of $100 begun at 21 and continued to 61 would yield, at 4 per cent, $9,500, "which is a competency in many localities and actual wealth in some." Certainly it is far better for all concerned that the clerks in the departments should make such provision for themselves, voluntarily, than that it should be made from them by deductions from their salaries. Mr. Shaw deserves credit for the candor and good sense with which he addressed his peculiar audience. The Post of Washington reports:

"As one veteran clerk expressed it, 'the mirror was turned upon us and we saw ourselves in a true light. I don't believe I was more impressed in my life. Mr. Shaw sized us up just as we are.'"—New York Times.

Conditional Immunity, Only.

A ruling by a justice of the New York state supreme court excuses Mr. H. H. Rogers, the Standard Oil magnate, from answering certain questions put to him recently by the attorney general of Missouri in a hearing before a United States commissioner in New York, in proceedings relative to the action brought by the state of Missouri to oust the Standard and its allied corporations from doing business in that state. The immunity granted, however, is conditional. If the Missouri court of original jurisdiction determines that the questions put by Mr. Hadley are relevant and essential the New York court will take cognizance of the matter. Until such a decision is rendered Mr. Rogers may continue to "stand mute."—Washington Star.

Why Creasy Opposes It.

That veteran and vociferous Democrat, Representative Creasy, is opposed to reapportionment and his position reveals one of the reasons why reapportionment has been held up in the past. The county which has so persistently sent Creasy to the legislature would lose a member by any new apportionment that can be made and that would reduce Creasy's chances of holding on to what he must have come to regard as a life job. Creasy is cracked up as the Democratic leader in the house, but it can hardly be claimed he represents the party. The party has demanded reapportionment for years; Creasy opposes it.—Philadelphia Press.

The Beauty of It.

There will be general approval of the course of the Carnegie Hero Fund commission in their award to the captain and crew of the Alberta, who rescued the passengers on the wrecked steamer Cherokee off Atlantic City on the 14th of last month. And yet reward of that sort was probably the last thing to enter the heads of Casto and his brave band when they started on their perilous work.—Johnstown Tribune.

The Unique Feature.

The unique feature of the case is that Mrs. Sarah Mills, who boasts that she has not tasted water in 48 years, lives in Kansas City and not in Milwaukee, as you would at once conclude.—Washington Post.

Answers to Correspondents.

H. W.—The Gazette does not give the address of any professional man. See advertising columns.

DOSES OF DROLLERY.

"Yes, sah, de razor am de mos' soshiable article in de world," remarked the old man, as he sat on the edge of his whitewash bucket, and toyed with the brush.

"Gwan, yo' sho mistaken 'bout dat."

"Deed I ain't. Look how easy it is t' scrape an' requaintance wid one."

"Yes, an' look how easy 'tis t' cut one, too."—Milwaukee Journal.

Kind Lady—If I give you something to eat will you wash your face and hands?

Poor Hobo—Youse misunderstood me, lady. I said I was hungry—I didn't say I wuz starvin' an' desperate.—Cleveland Leader.

"Your honor," remarked the youthful lawyer for the defense, "my client wishes to gain time."

"All right, I'll give him six months," replied the obliging judge.—Philadelphia Record.

"Why do bears sleep through the winter?" asked the boy who is studying natural history.

"Because," answered his father, "the President does not go hunting then. They've got to sleep some time."—Washington Times.

Mother (whose children have had an education superior to her own, to her small daughter, whom she is in the act of smacking)—I'll learn you not to contradict me!

Small daughter (between her sobs)—Teach mother, teach.—Punch.

Bacon—If it had been in these times that Billy Patterson had been struck, it would have been pretty certain that an automobile did the striking.

Egbert—Very likely, but the question, "Who struck Billy Patterson?" would be just as far from solution as ever.—Yonkers Statesman.

STORIES FOUND IN THE LOBBIES

Interesting Happenings Concerning the People Who Are Traveling.

Fraternity men to the number of about 75 helped to make a happy event of the annual reception and dance of the Phi Delta Theta club of Pittsburgh at the Hotel Henry last evening. While most of the members present are graduate members of the Greek letter fraternity, there were 18 men from the nearest active chapter in Washington and Jefferson college at Washington, Pa., in attendance, each of these men being accompanied from "Little Washington" by a young woman friend. The reception lasted for an hour before 10:30 o'clock, when the dancing began.

The reception and dance committee consisted of Harrison W. Bock, Robert W. Lindsay and Richard Hardy. The patronesses were Mrs. Richard Hardy, Mrs. P. B. Straub, Mrs. William T. Tredway, Mrs. M. Hoke Gotshall, Mrs. Richard B. Scandrett, Miss Joseph A. Langfitt, Mrs. Harry McKinley, Mrs. James R. Bell, Mrs. William T. Mossman, Mrs. William E. Ralston, Mrs. Alexander S. Hunter, Mrs. William H. S. Thompson of Pittsburgh, Mrs. Samuel D. Foster of Washington, Pa. Among the colleges represented by alumni were Washington and Jefferson, Allegheny, Gettysburg, Lafayette, Lehigh, Dickinson, Ohio State, Pennsylvania State, University of Michigan, Case school and University of Pennsylvania. There are about 200 members in the Phi Delta Theta club of Pittsburgh.

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Seeking Health at Seashore.

George B. Barrett, the Pittsburgh jeweler, accompanied by his family and by Mrs. McCormick of Cadiz, O., left last night for a sojourn at Atlantic City. The trip is being made in the hope of benefitting Mrs. Barrett's health.

Among those who left Pittsburgh for Florida last night were Mr. and Mrs. William Lipphardt and their two daughters, of Bellaire, O. Mr. Lipphardt's father died recently in Florida, where he had gone for the benefit of his health.

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Looks for Big Lake Traffic Year.

Henry Shafer, a coal broker of Detroit, who was at the Henry yesterday, takes a very optimistic view of the lake traffic prospects for 1906. He says that so many improvements are being made at all ports of Lake Erie by the railroads and steamship companies that the year cannot be otherwise than a record breaker. He said that the improvements in lake vessels will also be large. Mr. Shafer said that the proposed car ferry across Lake Ontario by the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh and Grand Trunk railroads will have no detrimental effect on Lake Erie traffic, as the coal to be carried across Lake Ontario will be intended primarily for use of the eastern lines of the Grand Trunk.

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Atlantic City Hotel Man Here.

W. C. Detrick, well known to many Pittsburghers as the proprietor of the Hotel Shelburne at Atlantic City, is spending a couple of days in Pittsburgh. He is staying at the Fort Pitt.

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Arrivals at the Hotels.

Seventh Avenue—C. H. Hanna, Franklin; G. D. Jenkins, Waynesburg; W. B. and C. L. King, Reynoldsville; A. G. Gilbert, Johnstown.

Anderson—W. E. Jacobs, Brownsville; H. E. Richard, Waynesburg; E. M. Taylor, Erie.

Monongahela—W. P. Spargrove, Washington; G. D. Caldwell, Wellsburg, W. Va.; W. F. Wood, Somerset; J. L. D. Queen, Wheeling; J. S. Newmyer, Dawson.

Henry—L. P. Henderson, Connellsville; D. Herring, Vandergrift; Charles Earling, Wheeling; S. J. King, Altoona; C. D. Whipple, Clearfield.

Boyer—M. A. Dorn, Sistersville; S. F. Kinsel, Kane; A. M. Courson, Erie; M. E. Heilick, East Brady.

Colonial—J. R. Learson, Kittanning; B. F. Morris, Steubenville; E. M. Mason, Irondale; W. M. Breuning, Dayton.

Griswold—Fred Empson, Clarksburg; A. Dibble, Connellsville; G. W. Cissell, Waynesburg.

Newell—J. C. Chidester, Weston, W. Va.; D. E. Brown, Creston; J. L. Henry, Buckhannon, W. Va.; J. A. Jones, Bradford.

Fort Pitt—J. Pfaff, Bolivar; W. H. Lewis, Dubois; F. M. Powers, Youngstown; F. M. Kerr, Erie.

Lincoln—C. F. Fox, Vandergrift; N. L. Moore, Erie; L. H. Magill, Chambersburg.

Duquesne—J. H. Dunbar, Youngstown; J. L. Hartman, Hollidaysburg; J. R. Carothers, Uniontown.

Schenley—W. S. Bowman, New York; J. C. Carter, New York; H. H. Hinde, St. Louis; W. D. Chapman, Pittsburgh; E. H. Harder, Newark, N. J.; H. F. Hustead and wife, Wheeling; J. P. McLeman and wife, Pueblo, Col.

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Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Waldorf-Astoria—J. Kennedy, B. M. Caldwell, W. S. Van Dyke, F. W. Fennikon.

Fifth Avenue—J. H. Roney, H. S. Kilbe, H. Kilbe, Jr., Mrs. Kilbe.

Hotel Astor—J. Martin, H. N. Nelley.

Silsey—L. M. Wright.

Grand Union—E. Birge.

Murray Hill—H. H. Pease.

Manhattan—H. Walker, Mrs. Walker, G. C. Smith, J. L. Foster, Mrs. J. E. McCord, Miss F. S. McCord, Miss M. B. McCord, Dr. E. J. Patterson.

Broztell—H. S. Patterson.

Empire—Mrs. L. M. Nelson, Miss Wood.

Savoy—Miss N. J. Graham.

Astor House—W. R. Wells.

Gregorian—J. S. George.

Sinclair—Mrs. M. A. Wellman.

St. Denis—W. E. Hallock.

Union Square—Mrs. C. T. Lawrance.

Victoria—L. Bullions, H. W. Shiffen.

Earlington—G. Clark, Mrs. Clark.

Breslin—S. H. McKee.

Holland—W. A. Lewis, D. W. Miller, V. G. Converse, G. A. Cellor, J. B. Heron, Jr., Miss Heron.

Grand—H. Hall.

Imperial—J. C. Greath, A. B. Snyder.

Herald Square—E. Neiman.

Marlborough—C. G. Hall.

Navarre—S. G. Ashworth, H. W. Benn, D. T. Benn, R. Rodgers.

Vendome—C. N. Bentington, Mrs. Bentington.

Would Look Better.

San Francisco wishes to hold in 1913 a great exposition to celebrate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of the Pacific ocean, and a California congressman has asked for a national appropriation of $5,000,000. But would it not be more sportsmanlike for San Francisco to set in her own stack before asking Uncle Sam to come into the pot?—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Tallest Queen in Europe.

Not a few Americans have remarked, since the death of the venerable king of Denmark brought out a large crop of pictures of the new king and queen, that the latter appears to be singularly homely. A stronger word might not be unjust to the tallest woman on any European throne. Queen Louise is said to be more than six feet in height.—Cleveland Leader.

Will He Never Learn?

England is in a huff because a Japanese general has suggested certain reforms in the British army. It appears to be the same old England. In South Africa John Bull had to learn again the lesson taught by Braddock's defeat a century and a half before. Must the process be repeated the next time he fights?—Cleveland Leader.

Future Contingencies Provided For.

Morocco is being exploited as the coming paradise for the farmer and the miner. This partially answers James J. Hill's query as to what we are going to do for sustenance when our farms and mines are exhausted by our wasteful methods of working them. By that time we shall be ready to annex Morocco.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

The Discredited Prophet.

It may be worth while to note in passing that last year his groundhogship did not see his shadow on the second of February and the cold and the snows kept right on, anyhow.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

"AS OTHERS SEE US."

We, rating others honestly, are prone
To wonder how they, in their blindness,
Can pride themselves on merits of their own
And be so blind to those that we possess.

We see wherein they lack; we measure all
The faults which they serenely think they hide;
We weigh their worth and see how far they fall
Below the things on which they stake their pride.

We wonder why they do not stop to know
Due deference to us who loom so high,
They pass us, merely nod the as they go
Or overlook us as they hurry by.

Perhaps when they consider you and me
They, too, discover blemishes that mar;
Perhaps it is our present selves they see
Not what we might be—and suppose we are.

—The Reader.

WAR VETERANS DEMAND PROPERTY

Will Ask Dr. Woodburn and Maj. Tyler to Give Up Housefurnishings in Headquarters.

THIRD WARD SORE AT LOGAN

The War Veterans' Association of Allegheny met last night to outline some action toward securing from the former headquarters of the organization the house furnishings, valued at $400. The lease on the building at 14 North Diamond street expired January 1, and Maj. H. K. Tyler signed a lease for six months. Tyler refuses to give the organization the carpets, desks, tables, chairs and other fixtures that remain in the house. A committee was appointed last night to call upon Dr. Samuel S. Woodburn and Maj. Tyler and make a demand upon them for the property of the association.

The executive committee of the Allegheny Democrats last night received reports from all ward committees. Secretary Andrew Nields said after the meeting: "All reports indicate that our ward committees are being well organized and that the party is earnestly working for the election of Charles R. Kirschler."

The Good Government party has dispensed with the services of Antos A. Diehroth, who has been Dr. Woodburn's right-hand man since the inception of the graft investigation in Allegheny. Since the Logan headquarters opened Diehroth has been guardian of the door of the sanctum in which the clerks work.

The "League of Independent Voters," an organization of 238 voters in the Third ward, will not support Candidate Logan.

An organization of 30 men in the Second district of the Third ward last night reported at Republican headquarters that they were going to support the Republican ticket. Mrs. W. F. Larimer, chairman of the woman's committee of the Good Government party, announced yesterday she would have her committee complete today and that the ward organizations would be instructed in campaign work.

PORTRAIT OF PRECEPTRESS.

Presentation of Painting of Evelyn M. Simpson to High School Alumni Association.

The annual reunion of the Alumni association of the Pittsburgh high school was held in the central building in Fulton street. After the business meeting in the chapel the members retired to Marble hall for the banquet. The feature of the evening was the presentation of a portrait of Evelyn M. Simpson, late preceptress in the high school for 20 years. The introductory address was delivered by the president, Fred G. Scheuer, then followed the presentation of the portrait in an address by Herman L. Crote. Elmer Brown spoke on "Our Friends." Prof. George M. Sieeth on "Memories." The portrait was accepted by Prof. Rynearson on behalf of the school.

The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, J. Wilson Brown, '97; first vice president, Edward R. Flood, '98; second vice president, J. Howard Neely, '97; secretary, Charles E. Martin, '99; treasurer, Herman L. Crote, '97; custodian, Edward Rynearson, director of high schools.

NOTES OF NEARBY TOWNS.

NEW CASTLE—Ex-County Treasurer J. Wise Clark was struck by a street car and had his skull fractured. He is not fatally injured.

NEW CASTLE—Mayor Haines has notified the local traction company that the 90 days it was given in which to equip its cars with safety fenders will be up Monday.

NEW CASTLE—The marriage at Jamestown, N. Y., of Miss Alva Aiken of Harmonsburg, this county, and Burt R. Reiber of Mahoningtown Tuesday has been announced here.

WASHINGTON—Waynesburg capitalists have purchased 300 acres of coal in Morris township, Greene county, at $100 an acre. Coal in that neighborhood was sold three years ago at $20 and $25 an acre.

WELLSVILLE—Suit has been entered against the Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad Company by Alfred Smith of this city for $5,000 damages. He alleges he was assaulted by two railroad detectives.

IRWIN—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Westmoreland Railway Company here elected directors and an appropriation was made to build a branch line from Irwin south to Herminie.

NEW MARTINSVILLE—J. B. McPeek, agent for the Short Line railroad at Galmish, this morning found strewn along the track the dismembered body of an unknown man. The fragments are at the freight station.

CONNELLSVILLE—The West Penn Railway Company will soon double-track its main line from Uniontown to Connellsville because of heavy traffic. With the double tracks the cars will be able to make almost as fast time as the steam trains.

NEW CASTLE—The police are looking for Edward Kiefer, an alleged Lutheran theological student. Kiefer boarded with Mrs. Alcorn and is reported missing. Several suits of clothes owned by other boarders and $64 belonging to Mrs. Alcorn are also missing.

NEW CASTLE—Ben I. Davis of Pittsburgh and Walter Larkin, vice president of the tin department of the Amalgamated association, will address Pride of New Castle and the John F. Ware lodges. A smoker and informal banquet will be given for the visiting officers.

ASHTABULA—The convention of the Swedish churches of the Cleveland district, in session here, elected the following officers: President, G. E. Forsburg, Erie, Pa.; vice president, Axel Anderson, Youngstown; secretary and treasurer, E. E. Anderson, Cleveland.

GREENSBURG—Two well-dressed young men claiming to be agents have made rich hauls in boting several Greensburg homes. A sealskin sack and a diamond were taken from the home of Miss Dot McChesney. The thieves visited the rooms of Judge John B. Stael, but were frightened off.

BUCYRUS—The American Clay Machinery Company of this city has been taken over by a new company under the same name and incorporated in Ohio. The old company was organized under the laws of New Jersey and was operating the plants in Bucyrus and Willoughby for the benefit of creditors of the company.

CONNELLSVILLE—In a rear-end collision between two freight trains on a curve at Lawsonia today, both tracks of the Pittsburgh division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad were blocked. Cars were scattered over both tracks. The crews saved their lives by jumping. Passenger trains were sent over the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie tracks.

DEATHS IN NEARBY TOWNS.

YOUNGSTOWN—John F. Shafer of Struthers is dead. He had been a resident of the village 20 years. He leaves a widow and eight children.

WASHINGTON—John Shipe, aged 70, a carpenter, is dead at his home near Bissell. He lived in Amwell township all his life. He is survived by three daughters and three brothers.

JEANNETTE—P. M. Klingensmith, aged 78, is dead at the home of his son, Dr. Thomas A. Klingensmith. He is survived by his widow and three sons, William M., John E. and Thomas A. He came to Jeannette when the town was in its infancy.

NEW CASTLE—Jacob Fox, aged 80, is dead at his home here. He was born in Slippery Rock and moved here three years ago. He belonged to the Presbyterian church. He is survived by his widow and one daughter, Mrs. Willis Francis of this city.

OIL CITY—Harry Wallace, aged 97, a pioneer settler in this section, died at his home near here. He was born in Belfast, Ireland, and came here from New York with the early development of the oil business. He is survived by one son, William, of Oil City.

WASHINGTON—Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. William A. Smiley, aged 60, at Lamonte, Md. Mrs. Smiley was a former Washington county resident. She is survived by her husband and three sisters, Mrs. J. H. Rankin, Washington; Mrs. Nancy Caldwell, Buffalo, and Mrs. William Denny, Wilson, Kan.

KITTANNING—Mrs. Catherine Bowser, aged 87, is dead at the home of her son, Henry Bowser, in Clinton. She had lived in this county since 1825. She married Noah Bowser and 14 children were born, seven survive—Alexander of Washington county, Hezekiah of Bellevernon, Henry of Clinton, Stephen of Coylesville, Simon of Center Hill, Mrs. Elizabeth Mahaffey of Tarentum and Mrs. George W. McCausland of Allegheny.

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The Death Roll.

Mrs. Barbara Klumpp.

Mrs. Barbara Klumpp, aged 75, widow of Charles Klumpp, died yesterday morning at her home, 107 Fourteenth street, South side. She was born in Bavaria, Germany, and came to this country in 1852, locating on the South side. She was married four years later to Charles Klumpp, whose death occurred some years ago. Mrs. Klumpp had been treasurer of the Frauen Verein of the German United Evangelical church, Jane street, for over 30 years. She was also a director of the Orphans' home at West Liberty since its organization, and was a charter member of Fredelhua Rebekah lodge, No. 501, I. O. O. F. She is survived by three sons, Charles, a policeman in the Fifth district; John, superintendent of the Macbeth-Evans glass works at Ellwood, Ind., and Frank J., formerly a member of councils, ex-member of the state legislature and city assessor from 1899 to 1902. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon from the German Evangelical church, Jane street.

Funeral of Alderman Sparr.

The funeral of Alderman Emil Sparr will be held from the family residence, 2208 Center avenue, at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Mr. Sparr was born in Berlin, Germany, August 8, 1853. When 14 years old he came to America, locating in Rochester, N. Y., where he learned the lithographer's trade. He came to Pittsburgh in 1870, following his trade for a while and then, in 1877, becoming connected with the Pittsburgh bureau of fire. In the Pleasman fire, which in 1887 or 1888, he was injured by the falling walls and was compelled to retire from active service. He was always actively interested in politics and was a Republican. In 1898 and 1899 he represented the Thirteenth ward in common council and at the time of his death was entering upon his second term as alderman of his ward. He is survived by his widow, four sons, Henry, John, Nicholas and George, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Margaret.

Mrs. W. R. Worthington.

GREENSBURG, Pa., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Mrs. Lulu Campbell Worthington died this evening at 5 o'clock at the Westmoreland hospital after undergoing an operation. Mrs. Worthington was the wife of W. R. Worthington of the Pennsylvania railroad insurance department. She is survived by her husband and two-year-old daughter. Mrs. Worthington was a daughter of Attorney W. W. Campbell and Elmira Straight Campbell, and a sister of William H., a well-known telegraph operator; Guy E. and Otto C. Campbell, all of Pittsburgh. The remains will be taken to Philadelphia Sunday night for interment.

Mrs. Mary A. Sutherland.

Mrs. Mary A. Sutherland, aged 81, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sallie A. Ramsey, at West Park, McKees Rocks. She was the widow of Isaac Sutherland. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and is survived by the following children: Mrs. Sallie A. Ramsey, McKees Rocks; Common Councilman O. C. Sutherland of the new Fortieth ward; Elmer E. Sutherland, superintendent of the Damascus steel works, Carnegie; Mrs. W. S. Armstrong, East Pittsburgh; Aldin and C. L. Sutherland, McKees Rocks. Thirty-one grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren also survive.

Samuel Burton.

Samuel Burton, aged 76, died yesterday afternoon at his home in River avenue, in the new Fortieth ward. He was a member of the Esplen United Presbyterian church. He retired from active work many years ago. Besides his wife, who is also 76 years old, he is survived by the following children: Mrs. Jane Davis and Fred. Burton, at home; Noah, of the East End, George of Genoa, O.; Samson of Bridgeport, O., and Joseph Burton of Ingram. He also leaves 20 grandchildren.

Miss Mary Eliza Hammond.

Miss Mary Eliza Hammond, aged 58, died yesterday morning at the home of her brother, Charles M. Hammond, 721 Taylor avenue, Avalon. Miss Hammond was born in West Newton and spent the greater part of her life in that place. She had made her home with her brother in Avalon during the last 15 years. She was a member of the Avalon Presbyterian church, and is survived by one brother, Charles M. Hammond.

Obituary Notes.

Thomas Geddis, aged 28, a carpenter, died Thursday at his home, 507 Hawkins avenue, Lincoln park. He is survived by his parents and his widow and one child.

Mrs. Frances Anna Aliman, aged 78, wife of George Aliman, died Thursday at the family home, in Franklin township. The funeral will be held at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Arthur M. Knauff, aged 52, died Thursday at the home of his brother, Thomas Knauff, 2104 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. The remains will be taken tomorrow to Glade Mills, Butler county, for interment.

Robinson Hillis, aged 67, a brick contractor, died yesterday morning at his home, 168 Pearl street. He was born near Larne, County Antrim, Ireland, and came to this country about 40 years ago.

Miss Ella Paisley Blackstock, aged 31, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William M. Blackstock, died yesterday at the family home, 104 Simpson street, Allegheny. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

William J. Sweeney, aged 35, of School alley, McKeesport, died yesterday morning at the McKeesport hospital of typhoid fever. His wife died recently as the result of injuries received in a gas explosion which wrecked their home on December 29. He leaves two small children.

Mrs. Catherine Neumayer, aged 86, widow of Arbogast Neumayer, died Thursday evening at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. P. C. Wittman, 1505 Nixon street, Allegheny. She was born in Germany and came to this country in 1840, locating in the Manchester district. In addition to her daughter, she leaves a son, John Neumayer.

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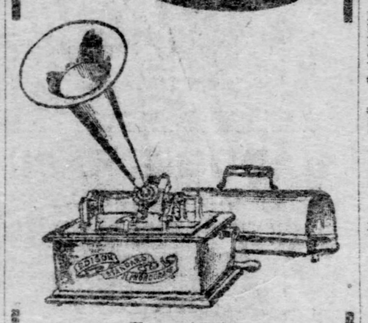

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M'CALL MAKES ATTACK ON RATE REGULATION

Hepburn Bill Is Under Fire of Oratory in House of Representatives.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Oratory on the railway bill held the attention of the house for six hours today. The speeches of Burton of Ohio, McCall of Massachusetts and Russell of Texas were features. Mr. Burton discussed the broad field of proper national ideas and growth of industry, of corporation development and traffic increase.

Mr. McCall made an attack on the bill, opposing its fundamental features, and making, as he know, a vain effort to have the power to regulate railroad rates administered by the courts. Point after point he made to show what he contended were the weakness and evil of government ratemaking, illustrating by records of foreign countries. Mr. Russell argued for the measure. He spoke as a Democrat, and gave that party credit for sustained effort and for careful scrutiny in the perfecting of the measure.

There was for a moment today a prospect that the statehood bill would receive its first formal reading in the senate, always the initiative step in the consideration of any measure reported from a committee. The senate took up the calendar immediately after disposing of the routine business, and as the statehood bill occupied the first place the secretary had begun to read it before any of the opponents of the bill realized the situation. He had covered but a few pages when Mr. Teller put a stop to the proceedings for the time.

The shipping bill was made the basis of a running debate between Mr. Patterson, in opposition, and Mr. Gallinger and Mr. Perkins, in support. Mr. Patterson criticised the provision for a subvention to the Oceanic Steamship Company, saying that that concern was now under contract to carry the mails at good compensation, and that the requisition for a subsidy amounted to a demand for more money on its contract. Messrs. Gallinger and Perkins replied that the company was losing money.

FOUR SMALL FIRES.

Allegheny Department Is Kept Busy for Several Hours.

Four fires in less than three hours kept the Allegheny department busy yesterday evening. An alarm from box 413 at 5 o'clock took four companies to 209 Madison avenue, where a pile of rubbish in the cellar had been set on fire while the occupants were trying to thaw frozen water pipes. There was no loss. A blaze of unknown origin started in the basement of the house of Alice Lewis, 619 West Robinson street, at 6:50 and took four companies to the scene. The loss was about $400. Exactly one hour later a chimney fire at 1711 Gladstone street got four companies in the Manchester district out. Gas igniting from sparks at the forge caused a blaze in the blacksmith shop of W. J. Sands at Chestnut and Pike streets, at 7:54. The interior of the shop was schorched and some tools destroyed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

Samuel Store, Bessie Baldinger; William Matthews, Ophelia Wood; all of Pittsburgh.

Clyde R. Landenbaugh, Blanche Dickson, Oakdale.

Henry E. Well, Pittsburgh, Hattie Green, Allegheny.

DIED.

BURTON—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 1:30 p. m., SAMUEL BURTON, in his 77th year.

Funeral from his late residence, 316 Fourth street, Esplen, on Sunday at 1:30 p. m. Services at United Presbyterian church, Esplen, at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

GEDDIS—On Thursday morning, February 1, 1906, THOMAS H. GEDDIS, in his 28th year.

Funeral services at the residence of his mother, 507 Hawkins avenue, Lincoln Park, on Sunday afternoon, February 4, at 2 o'clock.

HAMMOND—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 1 a. m., at the residence of her brother, Charles M. Hammond, 721 Taylor avenue, Avalon, MARY ELIZA HAMMOND, aged 66 years.

Funeral services on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

HILLIS—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 2 a. m., ROBISON HILLIS, in his 68th year.

Funeral from the residence of Mrs. A. Jackson, 165 Pearl street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

JACKSON—At his late residence, 1209 Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny City, GAYLORD M. JACKSON, in the 61st year of his age.

Funeral services at Union M. E. church, corner Manhatan street and Pennsylvania avenue, Saturday, February 3, at 2 p. m.

KLUMPP—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 5 a. m., at her residence, No. 107 Fourteenth street, South Side, Pittsburgh, BARBARA KLUMPP (nee Hofmann), relict of Charles Klumpp, aged 75 years 8 months 27 days.

Funeral services Monday at 2 p. m. in the First German Evangelical church, Jane street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets. Friends of the family and members of Fredericka lodge No. 201, I. O. O. F., and Frauen Verein are respectfully invited to attend. Interment in Zimmerman's cemetery.

KNAUFF—On Thursday, February 1, 1906, at 8:15 p. m., ARTHUR M. KNAUFF, aged 52 years, at the residence of his brother, Thomas Knauff, 2104 Perrysville avenue, Allegheny.

Interment at Glade Mills, Butler county, Pa., Sunday, February 4.

(Butler (Pa.) and Chicago (Ill.) papers please copy.)

KNOELLINGER—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 4 a. m., at the residence of her mother, West View, BERTHA A., daughter of Amelia and the late Joseph J. Knoellinger, aged 9 years 3 months 15 days.

Funeral services on Sunday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

LANG—On Wednesday, January 31, 1906, at 11:15 a. m., CAROLINE, beloved wife of G. Philip Lang (nee Arensburg), at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George C. Orth, Bellevue, Pa.

Funeral services will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at corner of Rodgers and Orchard avenues, Bellevue, Pa. Take Bellevue cars to corner of Rodgers and Forest avenues. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited. Interment private on Saturday.

MALONEY—On Thursday, February 1, 1906, at 12 p. m., JOHN J., beloved husband of Annie Maloney.

Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family home, 211 North Euclid avenue, East End. Interment private.

MARTIN—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon, JOHN MARTIN, aged 78 years.

Funeral from his late residence, 219 East Jefferson street, Allegheny, Sunday afternoon, February 4, at 2:30 o'clock.

MORRIS—On Thursday, February 1, 1906, at 6:30 a. m., Mrs. CATHERINE MORRIS, in her 82nd year.

Funeral services at the residence of her son, Daniel Thomas, corner Fifth and McClure avenues, Homestead, Sunday, February 4, at 2 p. m.

SUTHERLAND—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 5:30 p. m., MARY A., widow of Isaac Sutherland, aged 81 years, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Sallie E. Ramsey, 328 Broadway, West Park, McKees Rocks.

Funeral services this evening at 8 o'clock. Interment private, Sunday afternoon, February 4, at 3 o'clock.

(Beaver and Beaver Falls papers please copy.)

SCOTT—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 11 a. m., EDWARD HUSLER, son of W. A. and Margaret E. Scott, in his 12th year.

Funeral services at his parents' residence, 719 Highland avenue, Carnegie, Pa., on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment private.

[Washington (Pa.) and Altavista (Kan.) papers please copy.]

WORTHINGTON—On Friday, February 2, 1906, at 4 p. m., at the Westmoreland hospital, Greensburg, Pa., Mrs. LULU CAMPBELL WORTHINGTON, aged 26 years.

Funeral services at the residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment at Philadelphia, Pa., Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. [Philadelphia and Fairmont (W. Va.) papers please copy.]

WELCH—On Wednesday, January 31, 1906, at 2 a. m., at Grand Rapids, Mich., CHARLOTTE E., daughter of James H. Welch of Welchmont, Monaca, aged 25 years and 6 months.

Services at Monaca, Saturday, at 10:30 a. m. Train leaves Pittsburgh 9:15 city time. Interment in Homewood cemetery, Pittsburgh.

FLORAL EMBLEMS
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TAX LEVY FOR CITY MAY REACH FIFTEEN MILLS

Director Bigelow Says It Will Be Higher—Big Bond Issue Almost Certain.

After several hours of labor yesterday in secret session the sub-committee on appropriations was still unable to announce the tax levy for 1906. The sub-committee conducted its labors under the direction of Director Bigelow, although Mayor Hays and Director Moore made a pretense of assisting him. The sub-committee adjourned after 5 o'clock to meet again this morning at 11 o'clock, when Director Bigelow says the figures may be given to the public.

Asked if the millage was to be increased, Mr. Bigelow replied:

"What are you going to do when the needs of the city require two mills more?"

If this statement of Director Bigelow is accepted as an indication of what the sub-committee is going to do, it means a tax levy of 15 mills for 1906 with a bond issue of $2,000,000 for judgments and water extensions, which are to be eliminated from the appropriations to keep down the millage. With a tax levy of 15 mills the administration goes out of office this year with the taxes, the expenses and the property valuations of the city a great deal higher than when it came into power three years ago, and with no reduction in the tax rate.

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Boys' Light and Dark Mix $8.50 Wool Suits, 6 to 16 years, double-breasted and Norfolk styles, $5.00—$5.00 and $6.00 ones, $3.50.

Boys' 4 to 16 $1.50 Knee Pants, $1.00.

Men's $20.00 Winter Sack Suits, single and double-breasted styles, light and dark mixes, $12.50—$25.00 and $30.00 ones, $15.00.

Men's Five and $6.00 separate Trousers, $3.50—$7.50, $8.50 ones, $5.00.

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$2.75 and $3.50 Nearseal Caps, $2.00.

$5.00 Coonskin Caps, $2.50.

$4.00 River Mink Caps with leather crown, $2.00.

$5.00 Nutria Caps, $2.50.

$6.50 Seal Collars, $3.50.

$10.00 Persian Lamb Collars, $5.00.

$3.00 Brook Mink Collars, $1.50.

Other $3.00 and $3.50 ones, $2.50—$2.00 ones, $1.25—$2.50 ones, $1.50.

$10.00 Coachmen's Capes, $5.00—$15.00 and $16.50 ones, $8.50.

One pair $18.50 Automobile Gauntlets—Nutria, $10.00.

$22.50 Seal Nutria ones, $12.50—$7.50 ones, $5.00.

One pair $8.50 Dyed Coon Skin Gauntlets, $4.50.

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$145.00 Blended Baum Marten Boa, trimmed with tails and claws, $75.00.

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$75.00 Persian Lamb Collar, $35.00.

$60.00 Mink and Ermine Fancy Collar, $25.00.

$125.00 Fancy Ermine Collar, $75.00—$87.50 one, $65.00.

$85.00 Ermine Tie, $65.00.

$100.00 White Fox Set, long two-skin Boa finished, with heads and Large Empire Muff, $60.00.

$85.00 Black Lynx Stole, $45.00.

$18.50 Mole Collars and Ties, $8.50.

$10.00 Oriental Mink Ties, $5.00.

$15.00 Oriental Mink Muffs, $5.00.

$10.00 Natural Squirrel Ties, $5.00.

$20.00 Persian Lamb Throw Ties, $10.00.

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MRS. MARY TEMPLE JAMISON of McDonald will leave Monday for Washington, D. C., to be a member of a house party which Mrs. Vinnie Ream Hoxie, the sculptor, will entertain. Several other members of the house party are coming east from St. Louis, and Mrs. Hoxie has planned a round of social affairs in their honor, including a reception, a musicale and a dinner. Other smaller affairs will be given, while a reception of the League of American Pen Women, of which both Mrs. Hoxie and Mrs. Jamison are members, will be held during the next two weeks.

Mrs. Hoxie, who is the wife of Maj. Richard L. Hoxie of the engineering corps, United States army, has many friends in Pittsburgh, she having made her home here while Maj. Hoxie was stationed here. Mrs. Hoxie's home in Washington is in K street northwest, and overlooks Farragut square, where she can see from her window her own heroic statue of Admiral Farragut standing in the square which bears his name. Mrs. Hoxie is the only woman honored by the United States government with a commission for two statues, the first being a life-sized statue of Abraham Lincoln, the commission being awarded when Vinnie Ream was but 15 years of age. Lincoln sat for his bust in the White House, and the completed statue was placed in the rotunda of the capitol. Busts of many other well-known people and a number of ideal statues have been produced by Mrs. Hoxie.

Children to Give Tea.

A Japanese tea will be given at the residence of Miss Martha McAllister, Lothrop and Victoria streets, by the Juvenile Holy Angel Sodality of the Ursuline academy next Saturday afternoon. The members of the Sodality will be attired in Japanese costumes and the decorations will be of chrysanthemums and irises. The officers of the general committee in charge are: Ruth McCarthy, president, and Ruth O'Brien, vice president and secretary. The Japanese booth will be in charge of the following little girls: Ruth McCarthy, Regina Frauenheim, Mary Brennan, Katherine Humphreys, Mary Wallace, Mary Counahan, Valentine Booth, Louise Staley, Helen McDonald. Flower booth, Minnie Silber, Lillian Cullman. Refreshment booth, Ruth O'Brien, Alice Gormley, Rosalie Gurley. Fish pond, Evelyn Flannery, Martha McAllister, Helen Barry. Ice cream booth, Helen Walsh, Regina Corcoran, Elizabeth McInerney. Fancy booth, Nellie O'Brien, Agnes Werner. Doll booth, Leona Haller, Abigal Hawkins, Muriel Tebbutt. Candy booth, Madaline Gearing, Genevieve Quinn, Camille Kramer.

Mrs. Patterson's Bridge Party.

Smart society gathered at the home of Mrs. Charles Forsyth Patterson in Western avenue, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon, when Mrs. Patterson was hostess at bridge. She entertained without any special guest of honor, and was assisted by her sister and sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Marshall Bell and Miss Margaret Patterson. Eleven tables were called into play, and the prizes, beautiful glass comports, were won by Mrs. James Wood Scully, Mrs. Harry Darlington, Mrs. William C. Robinson, Mrs. Joseph Albree, Mrs. Wilson Carr, Miss Romaine Hamilton, Miss Amy Dupuy, Mrs. John H. Ricketson, Jr., Mrs. Van Lear Schriver, Mrs. Reuben Miller, Jr., and Mrs. Eugene L. Messler.

Entertains for Bride-Elect.

Miss Neta G. Hunter of Center avenue, Shadyside, will give a miscellaneous shower on the afternoon of Tuesday, February 13, to meet Miss Vida Jeannette Macrory, a bride-elect of the month. Miss Macrory's marriage to Alexander Savage Patterson will take place at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Macrory, in Bertha street, Mt. Washington, on February 15. The Rev. Dr. Warren G. Partridge, pastor of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church, will officiate, and the only attendants will be the maid of honor, Miss Nellie Katherine Wilbert, and the best man Dr. Walter F. Patterson of Butler.

Miss Kuhn Gives a Tea.

The 4 o'clock tea which Miss Eleanor Kuhn gave yesterday afternoon at her home in North Highland avenue was a delightful affair. Over 100 guests were entertained, and the honors of the occasion went to Miss Mayhew of Brooklyn and Miss Daniels of New York city, who are visiting Miss Kuhn, and to Mrs. William Terrill Johnston, a bride of the fall. Mrs. W. R. Kuhn and Mrs. William M. Dick presided at the tea table, and among other assistants were Mrs. W. S. Kuhn, Mrs. F. A. Nixon, Mrs. Herbert Black, Mrs. Philip Fyle, Miss Ada Corey, Miss Margaret Gray, Miss Jean Stone and Miss Olive Dodds.

St. Louis Debutante Is Honor Guest.

Mrs. Frederick Harrison Forman of Walnut street entertained in a most enjoyable manner last evening for her visiting friend, Miss Sally H. Woodward, a St. Louis debutante. Miss Woodward shared the honors with Mrs. Forman's cousin, Miss Louise Brewington of Hamilton, Mo., Mrs. Wallace H. Rowe's house guest. Hearts was the game played at six tables, and all the appointments were carried out in red in keeping with the St. Valentine season. Miss Elizabeth Hall is to entertain at five hundred next Monday evening in Miss Woodward's honor.

Former Pittsburgher in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutton Kennedy, Jr., the latter formerly Miss Florence Howe Brown, are spending the winter in Colorado Springs. Mrs. Kennedy is a daughter of the Hon. and Mrs. James W. Brown of Woodland road, this city. Mrs. Brown entertained a few friends informally at bridge yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. John Riley of Philadelphia, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Wood of Ellsworth avenue. Mrs. George A. Macbeth will have a few friends to play bridge with her this afternoon in honor of the same guest.

Off for Italy.

Mrs. A. Sunserl, her son, Nino, and her daughter, Miss Josephine Sunserl of Penn avenue, will leave for New York on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Sunserl's father, William Veavey of Monterey street, Allegheny. Mrs. Sunserl and her children will sail aboard the Deutschland leaving on Tuesday for Naples. They will first visit Mr. Sunserl's relatives in Palermo and Trobia, and later will visit Rome, Florence, Venice, the Milan exposition and many other points of interest. They expect to return to America in May or June.

Mother and Daughters Receive.

Mrs. Thomas J. Gillespie and her two daughters, Miss Mary Gillespie and Miss Eleanor Gillespie, have cards out for an at-home to be given at their residence, in Westminster street, Shadyside, next Thursday afternoon. From 2 until 5 o'clock the mother and daughters will receive together, and the reception will be supplemented by a dinner in the evening for the girls and men. Miss Mary Gillespie was graduated from Wellesley last June, and among the assistants will be a number of her school friends.

Mrs. McElroy's Luncheon.

Mrs. Robert Tindle McElroy's luncheon today will be given for her sister, Miss Isabel Bowman of Waverly, Ia., who is spending several weeks in Pittsburgh. The luncheon will be given at the new home of the hostess, in South Linden avenue, Point Breeze, and the guests will include only relatives. They will be Miss Isabel Bowman, Miss Alice Wood Tindale, Mrs. Edward Blaine Small, Miss Jane Bowman and her visiting friend, Mrs. M. A. Jacobs of Brownsville, and Miss McElroy.

Smart Affairs of Yesterday.

Mrs. Clifford Claney of Western avenue, Allegheny, was hostess at a small and informal luncheon yesterday in honor of her house guest, Miss Gillam of Chambersburg.

Mrs. Henry Baldwin of College avenue was one of yesterday's hostesses. She gave an informal bridge of three tables in honor of Mrs. Robert DuPuy, who has recently returned from abroad. It was a telephone affair with all the appointments in yellow.

For Two Sisters-in-Law.

Mrs. Isaac W. Frank of Irwin avenue, Squirrel Hill, sent out cards yesterday for a large reception which she will give next Friday afternoon from 3 until 8 o'clock, Mrs. Frank is giving the reception for the wives of her two brothers, Mrs. Sigmund Klee of New York and Mrs. William Klee of this city. The former is a recent bride and is spending a few days in Pittsburgh while on her wedding journey.

Bentley-Rippey.

Post-nuptial announcement has been made by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bentley of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Josephine Bentley, to Mr. Alfred Scott Rippey, Jr., the marriage having taken place on Saturday, January 27. Mr. and Mrs. Rippey will be at home after February 15 in the Linden apartments, Dallas street.

Notes of Society.

The Pittsburgh Alumnæ chapter of the Phi Mu Theta fraternity gave a dance and reception at the Henry last evening.

Miss Henrietta Schlegle of Indiana township, and Andrew L. Krouse, son of August Krouse, Sr., of Shaler township, will be united in marriage in St. Mary's church, Pine Creek, on Tuesday morning, the Rev. Father Ringler officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Forst were at home informally to their friends last evening in celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. They were assisted by their children, Miss Mathilda Forst, Miss Emelia Forst and Leo Forst.

The second in a series of subscription bridge parties at the Edgeworth club house was given last night. Besides bridge there was six-hand euchre and informal dancing. The affair was in charge of Gifford Wright, chairman of the entertainment committee. The guests were 125 members of the club, with their families.

Dr. and Mrs. Norman H. Graham of North Canal street, Sharpsburg, have issued invitations for an "at home" next Thursday evening to meet Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams of Denver, Col., and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Bowman of Allegheny. Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Bowman are sisters of Dr. Graham, and Mrs. Bowman is a recent bride.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O'Brien of Sharpsburg have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Margaret Belle O'Brien, and William Bernard O'Donnell. The ceremony will take place Monday morning, February 19, at 9 o'clock, at St. Joseph's Catholic church, Sharpsburg. The officiating clergyman will be the pastor, the Rev. Father Rosensteel.

Happiness a Condition of Mind.

Happiness is a condition of mind. It depends upon no material thing. One man faces the world, friendless and penniless, with a smile; another, surrounded by all that wealth can bestow, is embittered and disconsolate. One, intuitively, trusts the God within him; the other worships a far-off God, in a distant heaven and is miserable. This leads us readily to see that heaven is not a place, but a condition of perfect harmony. "The kingdom of heaven is within you." It is a mental state, attainable, in a measure, here and now. The worrying mind dwells in hell.

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Daughters Listen to Addresses.

Business was curtailed yesterday at the meeting of the Pittsburgh chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution in order to give time for two addresses. Miss Julia Morgan Harding spoke on "Benjamin Franklin, the Patriot," giving an admirable picture of the man and his worth to his country. Miss Harding followed Dr. William L. Gill of the Franklin Institute, Philadelphia, who made an address on the "School City as a Means for the Development of Good Citizens." In his talk before the Daughters of the American Revolution Dr. Gill dwelt particularly on the teaching of patriotism to the children through the school city, where they may learn how to be good and loyal citizens of their city and of their country. He spoke of the success which attended his talk of the previous evening before the principals, school teachers and citizens of Homestead and the promise of soon starting the movement in the various schools of Pittsburgh. Yesterday afternoon Dr. Gill visited the McKee school, where the school city is already inaugurated and last evening with Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon and Miss Beulah Kennard visited the Newsboy's home, where a school city was organized.

The regent of the Pittsburgh chapter, Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon, yesterday announced that the president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution asks that the Daughters throughout the country make a special contribution to the Continental Memorial hall in commemoration of Washington's birthday. The day will be celebrated in Pittsburgh by a lecture by Miss Jane Meade Welsh, who will speak on Alexander Hamilton before the Pittsburgh chapter. Miss Welsh will also lecture February 20 on Thomas Jefferson.

Plans for an Isolation Ward.

Plans for an isolation ward were considered yesterday morning by the board of managers of the Pittsburgh Hospital for Children. In the afternoon the building committee conferred with the physicians in attendance. The isolation ward is greatly needed for contagious children's diseases, which several times recently have necessitated the quarantining of the whole hospital, as in the cases of the measles last November. The isolation ward contemplated will stand in the rear of the present hospital building in Forbes street, between Ophelia street and McDevitt place. It will be entirely separate from the other buildings, will be one story in height and constructed of brick. It will have its own kitchen and room for the nurses in attendance on the children patients, so that they will not need to go to the main building at any time during their care of contagious cases. At present there is a small building directly back of the hospital building which is used as an isolation ward for such cases, but it is inadequate and unsuitable for such purposes, and with the erection of the new ward will be renovated and fitted up as a detention ward. The sun-parlor or convalescents ward, a wing from the main building extending toward Ophelia street, was completed last summer and has been in constant use ever since. The managers, over a year ago, considered plans for a new hospital building, but it seemed so much of a dream of the future that work was immediately begun to meet the present needs as far as possible, hoping in a few years to be able to undertake the erection of a new hospital building. At the meeting of the women managers yesterday morning plans were presented for several benefit entertainments to be given after Easter.

New Era Club's Valentine Party.

The regular meeting of the New Era club on Wednesday afternoon, February 14, will take the form of a valentine party and will be held in the home of Miss Romaine Clark, Noble and Division streets, Crafton. There will be but little business and only one discussion, as the women wish to make the meeting more of a social affair than usual. The debate, "Should Immigration Be Restricted?" Mrs. Mattie Patterson taking the affirmative, and Mrs. Franklin P. Janis the negative, which was to have been given several weeks ago, will be conducted that afternoon, and the two papers on scientific topics by Mrs. Rufus Martin and Dr. Anna Ramsey, which are programed for that day, will be omitted. Miss Esther Frank of Allegheny will be the pianist for the afternoon, and Miss Helen Grimes will sing. Mrs. J. J. Kennedy will be the leader.

Conduct Successful Benefit for Newsies.

The euchre given yesterday afternoon by the Winodausis club in the Elks club house in Fifth avenue and Jumonville street was pronounced a success. It was conducted for the benefit of the newsboys and after the game was concluded and before the prizes were distributed Mrs. Taylor Allderdice, president of the board of directors, made a little speech explaining the work done in the Newsboy's home and making a plea in behalf of the little newsies. Three hundred and ten dollars were the door receipts. There were more than 60 tables and 46 prizes were distributed, all but three being given for the highest scores, the three being awarded those having the lowest scores. The entertainment was in the care of Mrs. Reese Lindsay, the chairman of the social committee.

Studied Medieval Architecture.

The Epoch club was entertained yesterday morning by Mrs. George Oliver in her home in Thomas boulevard, East End. The subject for the day was "Gothic Architecture," and Mrs. Samuel Irvine presented a paper on "Twelfth Century Gothic Architecture in France." Mrs. E. E. Keller giving a talk on Gothic architecture in France in the thirteenth century. "The Bells of Notre Dame," by Eugene Field, was read by Mrs. Jens Schreuder, who also read "The Thirteenth Century" from "The Meaning of History," by Fred. Harrison. At the next meeting the club will consider giving the tea which was postponed from December because of the death of a member.

Fruit and Flower Mission Busy.

The coming of the cold weather was noticed in the increased needs presented to the Fruit and Flower mission yesterday morning by its nurse, Miss Klein. There were more requests for coal tickets, while old clothing was asked for, particularly warm winter underclothing for men, women and children. The managers arranged to place in homes several babies deserted by their fathers while their mothers are unable to look after them and keep their employment. Mrs. William Doolittle and Mrs. William Metcalf are the visiting committee for February.

Bargain Counter Popularity Helps in Making Future Fashions

Fashions are set by the women who hunt bargain counters and attend "marked-down" sales, at least that is what a buyer for one of the largest shops in town says—though few of them realize that it is their selection of silks, laces, etc., that determines the styles for the coming season. Many think the newest things are from Paris or originate with some fad of Mrs. Astor's or Mrs. Vanderbilt's; but it is popular demand that makes styles in this country, he declares, and the average shopper's desires create more fashions than are borrowed from abroad or copied from some wealthy woman's gown.

"Many women think that the fashion of certain weaves of material must begin with the manufacturer," he said, "and so they believe that styles start with them. I have found that styles in colors, as well as designs of materials, selected because they sold successfully on bargain counters, were more popular than those copied from Paris, or because the smart set liked them. It has been my experience with Paris fashions that what French women like for street wear is not always adaptable to conditions here, and the mere fact that a rose shade is popular on the Champs Elysees does not make a demand for it in Pittsburgh.

"Occasionally I can get a line on what shoppers like in color and material by having one sale, but more often I have two, and sometimes four or more, before I hit either shades or weave of cloth that pleases the public. By watching closely what the women buy most of I can judge what will be most popular for the coming season.

"Dress goods, silks, etc., must be always changing in design, weave and color, but after a shade has not been worn for several years it can be reintroduced with a slight difference in pattern and will have a big run.

"In trying to arrive at something definite in colors for the coming season I watched the women who were purchasing silks at a bargain counter, and discovered that they were getting away from violet and vivid shades, and instead were selecting delft, reseda green, rose and navy blue. Plain silks were never bought when they could get a desirable color with a figure. The tendency was toward small designs.

"From the number of navy blues that were purchased and called for I knew that dark as well as fair women were wanting that shade and that it must be becoming to both kinds of complexions. Some shoppers, with fair hair and blue eyes, went in for certain delicate shades of rose and lilac, while the brunettes bought darker rose colors. Those with fair skin and dark hair, like so many of our American women possess, invariably chose delft or the pottery shades when they did not want navy blue.

"I studied over the change in taste these women displayed and decided that their desires pointed toward foulards, and it was about time that they had them again. Not the same kind with scroll and geometrical patterns as had been sold before, but foulards with entirely new designs. To make sure they were expressing their undefined wishes for foulards, I bought up all I could get from other establishments and manufacturers, to the amusement of many buyers and wholesale firms, who laughed at the idea of foulards being popular again.

"I advertised these silks at low prices. They were all sorts of colors and patterns, but they sold, and at a season when no one has any use for them. In less than a week every piece was gone, and, delighted with the success of my idea, I got the artists to work on designs, which the mills have turned out, and I feel confident that women will be wearing foulards next spring for afternoon, carriage and evening gowns.

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BOOKS and BOOKMEN BY GEORGE SEIBEL

ADMIRERS of the good gray poet will welcome the "Life of Walt Whitman," which appeared this week. It is by Henry Bryan Binns and is published by E. P. Dutton & Co. Another literary biography of much importance is Herbert Paul's "Life of Froude," issued by Charles Scribner's Sons. Another kind of literature is represented in "Forty Years An Advertising Agent," by George P. Rowell, from the press of the Printer's Ink Publishing Company. A historical monograph of interest chiefly to special students is "Somerset House, Past and Present," by Raymond Needham and Alexander Webster, published by E. P. Dutton & Co.

Works of fiction are not numerous. "Peter and Alexis," the third part of Merejkowski's trilogy, is issued by G. P. Putnam's Sons; "Mr. Scraggs," comes from the Grafton Press; "Karl Grier," by Louis Tracy, is published by Edward J. Clode; "The Sage Brush Parson," by A. B. Ward, by Little, Brown & Co.; and "The Last Spike," by Cy Warman, by Charles Scribner's Sons.

IN POLAND'S FEUDAL AGE.

On the Field of Glory. By Henryk Sienkiewicz. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 534 pages. Price, $1.50.

WHEN Maurus Jokai died there was left the world only one author of Homeric power—that author was Henryk Sienkiewicz, the great Pole. It is at first hard to understand why the world's greatest authors should spring from people who are neither politically dominant, nor speak a language widely diffused, nor are pre-eminent in literary and artistic achievement. Jokai was a Hungarian, Ibsen is a Norwegian, Tolstoy a Russian—all of these, like Sienkiewicz, are fettered to languages of which belles lettres take little cognizance, and which, except the Russian, are not spoken by large numbers of people. Yet among these peoples and in these languages, the most vital literary work of our age has been born.

Perhaps George Moore and William Butler Yeats gave the true explanation when they proclaimed their adherence to the Gaelic revival. The older literary languages have been worn smooth, as it were; what they have gained in polish they have lost in power. So, too, the imagination of these peoples has lost its pristine productivity, like acres cultivated many centuries until their fertility is exhausted. The result is decadence—when men care more for the trimmings of the turkey than for the stuffing. It is the difference between Shakespeare and Tennyson; the one a mighty ocean, the other a polished rock upon its beach. For the tremendous energies and vast sweep of the ancient time, we must go to newer literatures and languages; it is in the beginnings that a Homer, a Dante, a Shakespeare are possible.

Not that Polish literature is in its beginning, like the Hungarian and Norwegian, which culminated during the past century. The so-called Golden Age of Polish literature ended with 1650, it was therefore coeval with Shakespeare and Milton. But Polish literature and language have been both retarded and isolated, while the storm and stress of Poland's history stimulated the imagination by providing ever fresh food for national pride and new incentive for emulation. A literature is doomed when its devotees no longer have blood and tears to mingle with their ink, and Poland's centuries of martyrdom and heroism have furnished an indelible writing fluid.

This literature is one of vast richness; there are authors by thousands and books by hundreds of thousands, without exaggeration. We know almost nothing of it, except a few poems by Mickiewicz, a few of Elise Orzeskos novels, and Henryk Sienkiewicz. Sienkiewicz, unfortunately, is best known by his "Quo Vadis"—a splendid historical romance, but not of the soil. The peculiar glory of Sienkiewicz is that he is Polish, permeated with an intense love of his country which finds fervid expression in his work. You do not know Sienkiewicz if you have read only his Roman romance or "Without Dogma," each a masterpiece, but not indigenous, the one limited to Nero's age, the other universal, but narrowed to the sphere of soul conflict. To know Sienkiewicz one must read the Zagloba romances—the famous trilogy, "With Fire and Sword," "The Deluge," and "Pan Michael." Here he shows as the Homer of Poland, epic poet and prophet in one. No wonder the Poles love him as they do!

"On the Field of Glory" is another book of this kind. It is an outburst of Polish patriotism; every chapter is calculated to inflame Polish national pride. It teems with memories of the great days when the commonwealth stood shoulder to shoulder with the Holy Roman empire to drive back the hordes of the Turk, hurled alternately at Cracow and Vienna; there are catalogues of Polish nobles, illustrious in peace and war, revered in counsels and famoused in fight, names which mean nothing to the Anglo-Saxon reader, but should remind him that other races have also their ancient lineages and pedigrees, their heroes and martyrs and saints—that if one has a Richard Coeur de Lion another has a Yan Sobieski; that if one boasts a Wilfred of Ivanhoe the other boasts a Pan Michael.

The scene of this romance is laid in the times just before the second siege of

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Author of "On the Field of Glory."

Vienna by the Turks. The title is a misnomer, for no one gets to the "field of glory" in the book. Perhaps Sienkiewicz chose the title before he put pen to paper. The romance has been appearing serially in a Warsaw weekly, "Biesiada Literacka;" the installments have been getting smaller and smaller, and the story can barely be finished yet (so that Mr. Curtin's feat in presenting us with a complete translation in book form before the original is out must rouse astonishment and admiration); but it is not unlikely that the disturbances in Poland have induced Sienkiewicz to bring his tale to a close sooner than intended.

Perhaps, who knows, this may be the first part of another trilogy. The hero leaves for the war in the last chapter, and how runs the song of Malbrough, "Savoir s'il reviendra?" The villain is left alive, only minus an ear, and he isn't the docile sort of villain that can be depended on to "be good" ever after. No; we feel certain that two more volumes will follow—one to play before the battered walls of Vienna and another to depict the ultimate discomfiture of the Krepetskis.

It would be difficult to decide which is the most important figure or group in this story—the beautiful orphan Anulka, who is distantly related to our old friend Cinderella, or the pensive slasher Yatsek, a Polish d'Artagnan, or the valiant priest, Father Voynovski, who preaches against war while he reaches around to his left side, or the four Bukoyemskis, who are big bears and little children at the same time. Yatsek, who is introduced most inauspiciously—he has been treed by wolves, who eat his horse under his eyes—turns out to be a veritable Achilles. His duel with Stanislav and the four Bukoyemskis reminds one of the immortal pages where the Three Musketeers meet the Gascon lad and with him turn against the cardinal's guards. Indeed, one is often reminded of Dumas in reading Sienkiewicz.

The hero, Yatsek, is poor—poorer than a church mouse, for those have their St. Stephen's day, when worshipers pelt the saint's statue with grain. But he loves Panna Anulka, and therefore he has stayed at home rather than go forth as a soldier to make his fortune. When divisions come between them, chiefly because of the duplicity of her guardian, a stern old man who wishes to marry her himself, Yatsek goes off to the army heartbroken. Then begin the trials of Panna Anulka. She is saved from a loveless marriage to old Pan Gideon by the intervention of Providence. With what weird power those pages are written! Sienkiewicz shows himself master of Macterlinck's art in "L'Intruse," no less than of Gorki's in depicting the lascivious reptile Martsian, who begins to persecute Anulka after her guardian's death. Her flight, the journey to Cracow, the ambuscade, the lovers' reunion and the pageantry of the closing chapter are written in a strain of epic magnificence.

The ambuscade is the only taste of real fighting in the story, save the duel, but such fighting! For the clash of conflict turn to Sienkiewicz. This is no tame matinee bout, but fierce, hot work. And all through the book the martial spirit thrills like an electric fire. There is the great sermon of Father Voynovski, for instance, which might have been written by Shakespeare or delivered by Abraham a Sancta Clara, the famous court preacher at Vienna. No doubt Peter the Hermit thundered thus when he stirred up christendom against the Saracen. Let Father Voynovski speak for himself:

"See, now," said he, "the regiments are starting. Their spears are lowered to a line with the middle of the horse-ears: they have bent forward in the saddle; there is a cry of fear among the pagans, and delight up in heaven. The Most Holy Mother runs to the window with all her might, crying: 'Oh, come, dear Son, and see how the Poles are attacking!' The Lord Jesus with his holy cross blesses them. 'By God's wounds,' he cries, 'there they are, my nobles, my warriors. Their pay here is ready for them!' And the archangel, holy Michael, strikes his palms on his thighs and shouts: 'Into them, the dog brothers! Strike!' That is how they rejoice up in heaven. And those down here cut and cut. Men, standards, horses, roll over and over. They rush across the bellies of janissaries, over captured cannon and trampled crescents; they advance to glory, to reward, to an accomplished mission, to salvation, to immortality."

Squeamish readers may find this revolting, even blasphemous. Others may consider its grotesque humor overdrawn and reprehensible. It is neither. It is realism depicting the rude piety of a brutal but honest age, which would not have understood metaphysical subtleties about transubstantiation. That it is not overdrawn any one will know who has read some sermons of Sancta Clara, the original of the Capuchin friar in the first part of Schiller's "Wallenstein" trilogy. Sienkiewicz's realism is not the French realism, however. It is the realism of the battle field, not the clinic. It is the realism of Homer, not of Zola. His humor, too, is antique in its lusty exuberance. The four Bukoyemskis—well, as Father Voynovski says, "The Bukoyemskis are the Bukoyemskis." There names are Mateush, Marek, Lukash and Yan (Matthew, Mark, Luke and John); they claim relationship with St. Peter, and Sienkiewicz employs them as avenging angels. When the villain is to be tarred and feathered, or is to have an ear lopped off, as their saintly kinsman lopped off Malchus' ear, the Bukoyemskis are the men to do it. The English drama knew such figures before the Restoration. In the plays of Shakespeare are many of them; the English novel knew them also, in Fielding and Smollett, but there they have been ousted by feministic Pamelas and Evelinas.

All things considered, the epithet "Homeric," is not unmerited by Sienkiewicz. His new book is a worthy successor to the Zagloba romances, and reveals the real Sienkiewicz, the patriotic Pole, better than "Quo Vadis" or "Without Dogma." This Sienkiewicz is not concerned about subtle analysis of souls, nor about niceties of style; he writes with an epic pen, in large sweeps; he gives us Vereschagin-like canvases, not Geromes; but there is more vitality, more spontaneity, more flesh-and-blood energy, than any other writer possesses since Jokai died. All hail to Sienkiewicz's "On the Field of Glory."

ANOTHER IRISH LEADER.

Recollections. By William O'Brien, M. P. New York: The Macmillan Company. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 518 pages, illustrated. Price, $2.50.

The recollections of an Irish leader—and it seems that all the Irish are leaders—invariably make an entertaining and readable book. Mr. O'Brien, as journalist and agitator and member of parliament, has been in the vanguard of the Irish struggle for a quarter of a century past, and can describe both its tragic and its humorous sides with wonderful power. Whether he is telling how a Fenian policeman let a Fenian conspirator escape, or picturing the pitiful fiasco of some wild scheme to shake off the British yoke, he writes in a fluent and stirring vein that seems characteristic of all Hibernian pens.

Much of the volume has to do with history on the personal side. There are many glimpses of Gladstone and Parnell which let these great men appear in a very human and lovable light. Perhaps the most touching episode in Parnell's relations with Mr. O'Brien is the remark made soon before the Kilmainham treaty. "Don't pitch into me too hard, O'Brien, if like Micky Calligy, I sign conditions and go out." Micky Calligy was a poor peasant who was supposed to have purchased his liberation by signing a promise of better behavior. And Gladstone's bowed head after the Phoenix park assassinations, like that "of an old man stooping over the open grave of a child of his heart," is one of the most impressive of all the pictures in the crowded gallery. Reminiscences of Davitt, of Healy, of Dillon, of Archbishop Croke, of Brennan and Biggar are many; incidents that show how thorny was the path of Irish journalism lend a spice of adventure; and pathos is imparted by such figures as Captain Mackey, "patriot and Christian gentleman" by his judge's dictum, driven to die the death of a dynamiter.

Mr. O'Brien's deductions, drawn from his study of revolutionary methods, ought to make interesting and instructive reading for inflammable patriots. He declares that "the attraction of a secret society for the Irish mind is due to the inborn Gaelic love of mystery," and that "the moral influence of the secret society is wholly bad." He finds that "from the military point of view the results are ridiculously disproportioned to the risks," and that the only hope of a successful uprising is in "a foreign landing following a defeat of the English fleet."

Friends of Ireland, and, indeed, every one interested in human documents, will welcome Mr. O'Brien's book, which is not inferior in interest to Justin McCarthy's memoirs, and even surpasses them in vivacity.

BUILDERS OF THE ORIENT.

Impressions of Japanese Architecture and the Allied Arts. By Ralph Adams Cram. New York: The Baker & Taylor Company. 223 pages, illustrated. Price, $2.00.

One of the foremost of our church architects, Mr. Cram might be expected to have some valuable ideas upon Japanese building ideals as contrasted with those of America. He finds "an utter antagonism of ideals and methods. Neither can you measure wine with a yardstick nor Yamato-damashii by the 'Data of Ethics.'" So far as it can be done, however, he gives a historical survey and a scientific interpretation of oriental architecture. The residuum is not impalpable, as he modestly protests; in fact, a distinct and vivid picture of Japanese art is unrolled for us by Mr. Cram. He has a verdict of praise for it, especially for the architectural side of it. There is, he says "airiness and space and a constant variety of view, but quite without affectation or striving after effect; there is a faultless blending of subtle colors, a constant composition of delicate line and graceful form. Above all, there is a soul-reviving simplicity that is infinite in its dignity and reserve." Mr. Cram's style is delightful and adds charm to the value of the book. The illustrations are also notably fine.

SIGNPOSTS TO SUCCESS.

Business Philosophy. By Benjamin F. Cobb. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. 262 pages. Price, $1.20.

If success can be taught, Mr. Cobb is a competent instructor. His book covers every branch of business activity—no detail is overlooked, not even the necessity of cultivating a pleasant voice at the telephone. He holds that "there is just as much chance for the newsboy today as ever there was"—meaning, of course, that there are as many opportunities for everybody, socialist demagogues to the contrary notwithstanding. The chapter on Labor Unions, though drastic in its views and expressing them fearlessly, will make many men think. Two other extremely valuable chapters are those on Trading Stamps and Advertising. It is a book of sound sense—rational theory being backed by practical experience.

A TONE-MASTER INTIME.

Mozart. Compiled and Annotated by Friedrich Kerst. Translated, with Introduction and Notes, by Henry E. Krehbiel. New York: B. W. Huebsch. 143 pages. Price, $1.00.

As in the preceding volume on Beethoven, here we have Mozart, the man and the artist, as revealed in his own words. Extracts from letters are the main sources of these opinions, and they are so ingenuous, so human, that the great tone-master's most faithful biographer has not shown him in a more intimate and lovable pose. All admirers of the master melodist will treasure this volume revealing the simple-souled man.

BOSS, REFORMER AND CUPID.

Under Guiding Stars. By Agnes Blake Poor. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. 324 pages. Price, $1.25.

Miss Poor's novel lacks spontaneity and warmth; it is deliberate and artificial. These congenital defects aside, it is a conscientious and readable production. It tells of life in a New England town, the central figure being a young man who conducts a successful fight against the town's political boss, and ultimately marries that boss's daughter. The frequency of such complications ought to be a warning both to reformers and to bosses with charming girls in their families, as they mostly seem to have.

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Contrite Hearts. By Herman Bernstein. New York: A. Wessels Company. 217 pages. Price, $1.25.

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PATHOLOGY OF FINANCE.

Money Inflation in the United States. By Murray Shipley Wildman. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons. Pittsburgh: J. R. Weldin & Co. 238 pages. Price, $1.50.

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M. Galpin, at all events, looked upon it in that light; for he judged others by himself. Carefully and cunningly calculating every step he took in life, he did not believe in sudden inspirations. It was therefore, with an ironical smile that he answered—"Very well, sir. This circumstance shall be mentioned, as well as the others, at the trial."

M. Daubigeon had not spoken since addressing the gendarme in reference to the mob outside. However, when M. de Boiscoran came out of his dressing room, fully dressed and ready, he rose from his chair and said—"One more question, sir."

The unfortunate fellow bowed. He was pale, but calm and self-possessed. "I am ready to reply," he said.

"You seemed surprised and indignant at any one's daring to accuse you. That was weakness. Justice is but the work of man, and must needs judge by appearances. If you reflect, you will see that appearances are all against you."

"I see it but too clearly."

"If you were on a jury, would you pronounce a man guilty on such evidence?"

"No, sir, no."

"You are not sincere!" exclaimed the public prosecutor.

M. de Boiscoran sadly shook his head, and replied: "I speak without the slightest hope of convincing you, but in all sincerity. No, I should not condemn a man as you say, if he asserted his innocence, and if I did not see any reason for his crime. For, after all, unless a man is mad he does not commit a crime for nothing. Now I ask you, how could I, upon whom fortune has always smiled; I who am on the eve of marrying one whom I love passionately—how could I, why should I, set Valpinson on fire, and try to murder the Count de Claudieuse?"

M. Galpin had scarcely been able to disguise his impatience, when he saw the public prosecutor take part in the affair. Seizing, therefore, the opportunity to interfere, he said: "Your reason, sir, was hatred. You hated the count and countess mortally. Do not protest: it is of no use. Everybody knows it, and you yourself have told me so."

It was in a tone of crushing disdain that M. de Boiscoran rejoined: "Even if that were so I do not see what right you have to abuse the confidence of a friend, after having declared, upon your arrival here, that all friendship between us had ceased. But it not so. I never told you any such thing. I have told you that the count was a very troublesome neighbor, very jealous of his rights; and almost absurdly attached to his preserves. I have also told you, that if he declared my public opinions to be abominable, I looked upon his as ridiculous and dangerous. As for the countess, I have simply said, half in jest, that so perfect a person was apt to my taste; and that I should be very unhappy if my wife were a Madonna, who hardly ever deigned to set her foot upon the ground."

"And that was the only reason why you once pointed your gun at the Count de Claudieuse? A little more blood rushing to your head would have made you a murderer on that day."

A terrible spasm betrayed M. de Boiscoran's fury, but he checked himself, and replied—"My passion was less fiery than it may have appeared. I have the most profound respect for the count's character. It is an additional grief to know that he has accused me."

"But he has not accused you!" broke in M. Daubigeon. "On the contrary, he was the first and the most eager to defend you."

And in spite of the signs which M. Galpin-Daveine made, the public prosecutor continued, "Unfortunately that has nothing to do with the force of the evidence against you. If you persist in keeping silent, you must look forward to a criminal trial, to the punishment of the law. If you are innocent, why not explain the matter? What do you wait for? What do you hope?"

"Nothing."

Mechinet had, in the meantime, completed the official report.

"We must go," said M. Galpin-Daveine.

"Am I at liberty," asked M. de Boiscoran, "to write a few lines to my father and mother? They are old, such an event may kill them."

"Impossible!" said the magistrate, who turned toward Anthony, and added, "I am going to seal up this room, and I shall leave it in your keeping. You know your duty, and the penalties to which you would be subject, if, at the proper time, everything is not found in the condition in which it is now left. Now, how shall we get back to Sauveterre?"

After mature deliberation, it was decided that M. de Boiscoran should go in a carriage of his own, accompanied by one of the gendarmes, while M. Daubigeon, the investigating magistrate, and the clerk, returned in the mayor's carriage driven by Ribot, who was furious at being kept under surveillance.

When the last formalities had been fulfilled, M. de Boiscoran came slowly down stairs. He knew the court was full of furious peasants; and he expected a hostile reception. At first the crowd kept quiet, but when the accused had taken his seat in the carriage and the horse went off at a trot, fierce curses and a shower of stones fell, one of them striking a gendarme on the head.

"Upon my word, you bring ill luck, prisoner," said the man, a friend of the other gendarme who had been so much injured at the fire.

M. de Boiscoran made no reply. He sank back into a corner, and seemingly fell into a kind of stupor from which he was not roused till the carriage drove into the yard of the prison at Sauveterre. On the threshold stood Master Blangini, the jailer, smiling with delight at the idea of receiving so distinguished a prisoner.

"I am going to give you my best room," he said; "but first I have to give a receipt to the gendarme, and to enter you in my book." Thereupon he took down his huge greasy register and wrote the name of Jacques de Boiscoran beneath that of Trumence Cheminot, a vagabond who had just been arrested for breaking into a garden.

It was all over. Jacques de Boiscoran was a prisoner, to be kept in solitary confinement until further orders.

PART II—The BOISCORAN TRIAL.

CHAPTER I.

Viewed from outside, the Paris residence of the Boiscoran family—No. 210 Rue de l'Universite—is a house of modest appearance. The courtyard in front of it is small; and the few square yards of damp soil in the rear hardly deserve the name of garden. But the exterior aspect is exceedingly deceptive; for inside the house each room is marvelously comfortable; and on all sides the upholstery and decorations present an air of substantial luxury in full keeping with the Boiscorans' wealth and lineage. The most striking apartment in the mansion is the marquis' cabinet of curiosities, situated on the topmost story, and lighted from above like a huge atelier. Immense glass cases, standing against the walls, contain the marquis' treasures, his priceless enamels, ivories, bronzes, unique manuscripts, matchless porcelains, and, above all, his faiences, his dear faiences, the pride and torment of his old age.

Though 61 years old at the epoch of this story, the marquis was as straight as ever, and most aristocratically lean. He had a really magnificent nose, which absorbed vast quantities of snuff; and in his brilliant eyes gleamed the restless cunning of the amateur collector, constantly striving to get the best of crafty dealers in so-called curiosities and articles of virtu.

In 1845 the marquis almost reached the summit of political renown by a great speech on the question of public meetings, but at that same hour his watch seemed to have stopped. All his ideas were those of an Orleanist. His general appearance, his clothes, his high cravat, his whiskers, and the way he brushed his hair, all betrayed an admirer and partisan of the so-called Citizen King. However, since the latter's fall, the marquis had not troubled himself about politics; in fact, he troubled himself about nothing at all. Devoting all his time to the accumulation of curiosities, he allowed the marchioness to rule supreme in the house, to administer her large fortune, govern her only son, and decide all family questions without appeal. It was perfectly useless to ask the marquis anything, for his answer was invariably, "Ask my wife."

One afternoon, about 3 o'clock, while he was busy, magnifying glass in hand, examining his dishes and plates, the door of his cabinet was suddenly opened and the marchioness entered, holding a blue paper in her hand. Six or eight years younger than her husband, she seemed the very companion for such an idle, indolent man. Her walk, her manner and her voice, showed her to be a woman of energy and determination. Traces were still apparent of her once celebrated beauty, but she had wisely refrained from trying to conceal the ravages of time, and accepted old age with a good grace.

When she entered her husband's cabinet, she seemed so painfully excited that the marquis, forgetting that for many a year he had made it a rule of his life to show no emotion, anxiously inquired, "What is the matter? What has happened?"

"A terrible misfortune."

"Is Jacques dead?" cried the old collector.

The marchioness shook her head. "No! it is something worse, perhaps——"

The old man, who had risen at the sight of his wife, sank slowly back into his chair. "Tell me," he stammered—"tell me. I have courage."

She handed him the blue paper she held, and said slowly: "Look at this telegram, which I have just received from Anthony, our son's valet."

With trembling hands the old marquis unfolded the paper, and read as follows: "Terrible misfortune! Jacques accused of having set the chateau at Valpinson on fire, and murdered Count Claudieuse. Terrible evidence against him. When examined, hardly any defense. Just arrested and carried to jail. In despair. What must I do?"

The marchioness had feared lest the marquis would be crushed by this dispatch, which in its laconic terms betrayed Anthony's abject terror. But it was not so. He put it back on the table in the calmest manner, and said, shrugging his shoulders—"It is absurd!"

(To be Continued Tomorrow.)

BIG PACKERS OWNED NATIONAL COMPANY

President of Concern Says It Was Holding Company and Never Slaughtered Beef.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Arguments concerning the admissibility of evidence occupied much time today in the meat packers' plea for immunity case, and at the time of adjournment only two witnesses had testified. Jesse B. Lyman of Boston, formerly president of the National Packing Company, was permitted to testify. He admitted that the National Packing Company had never slaughtered an animal or made a sale. He declared it was a holding company only.

Lyman testified that he was a witness before the grand jury which returned the indictments against the packers, and said he was examined by District Attorney Morrison, and that during the investigation the district attorney had a copy of the Garfield report. Cross-examined by District Attorney Morrison, the witness said the National Packing Company does a packing business through the "constituent companies."

What do you mean by that?

It does its business through the Fowler Brothers, Continental Packing Company, St. Louis Beef corporation, and some others.

Is it not true that the National Packing Company never slaughtered one animal?

A volley of objections from the attorneys for the packers greeted this question. The court held the question permissible, and Lyman replied that the National Packing Company slaughters no animals and makes no sales.

Isn't it true that the National company owns six or eight companies, the Omaha Packing Company, Fowler Brothers, Ruddy Brothers, St. Louis Dressed Beef Company and some more?

Yes.

How does it own them?

If it owns them, it purchased the capital stock of the companies.

Who purchased the stock?

The National company got the stock from the individuals who first bought it.

Well, who bought it first?

J. Ogden Armour, Edward Morris and the late G. F. Swift.

Mr. Lyman said the National Packing Company is a holding company.

MRS. YERKES COYLY SAYS SHE IS NOW MIZNER'S WIFE

Former Widow of Big Traction Magnate Admits Wedding to Young Californian, Now Master of Household, Where He Is Installed.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—In a few words the widow of Charles T. Yerkes, the traction financier who died about one month ago and left a fortune of $7,500,000, cleared today the mystery surrounding her marriage last Tuesday night to Wilson Mizner, a young Californian. Not until Mizner himself visited the Fifth avenue home of the wealthy widow were explanations forthcoming.

Twenty minutes after he arrived the young man appeared a master of the situation. Mrs. Mizner appeared and admitted that she was no longer Mrs. Yerkes.

"Adelaide, tell them you are married," said Mizner to her, nodding to the reporters.

"I am married," came the reply in soft tones. Then she eagerly bent forward over the marble rail of the balcony. "Now, please don't call me 'Adie' in the newspapers."

Then, with a bow and a smile, she retired gracefully.

"Everything is straight now," said Mizner, smiling, "so I hope there is an end to all the notoriety. I am here with Mrs. Mizner and we want to be left alone." She denied the marriage simply because she had planned to surprise her friends. There isn't the slightest bit of mystery."

Mizner's face clouded when told of the report from Denver, Col., that he had been engaged to Ethel Crater, and that she had hinted at a suit for breach of promise.

"That is the only malicious piece of news printed since my marriage," he said. "It is simply an effort to rake up a scandal. I have not been hurt by the report, but Miss Crater has. I shall proceed against the persons responsible at once. I shall see my lawyers about it tomorrow. I don't need the money, but I think I can get $20,000 from several persons because of the publication of the lie. It is an outrage."

Mizner arrived at the Yerkes residence after leaving the Hotel Astor. He denied that he had been requested to leave the Hotel Astor, and said he gave up his apartment there solely because he was going to live at 864 Fifth avenue.

It is understood that Mizner has completely recovered from the illness which he announced had attacked him since his arrival in this city.

Doubt as to the marriage was set at rest by the filing of the certificate of the marriage with the bureau of vital statistics.

LETTERS FIGURE IN WEEDON CASE

Wife Says That She Found Love Epistles to Another in Her Husband's Pocket.

TEST CASE IN SLOT MACHINES

Some highly interesting letters were produced in the suit of Mrs. Mary E. Weedon against Hugh H. Weedon, in which she asks for a limited divorce with alimony. Weedon is a wealthy member of a publishing firm, has taken an active interest in politics in the Thirty-fifth ward, and is president of the Lucky sub-district school board. Mrs. Weedon charges infidelity and names Eliza C. Barr, a teacher in the school, as corespondent. Under an order of court Weedon is now paying his wife $75 a month. He asked a jury trial and it was granted. Attorneys Thomas M. Marshall and S. G. Nolin represent Mrs. Weedon, while W. A. Blakeley and George H. Calvert are looking after Mr. Weedon's interests.

Mrs. Weedon testified that she was 41 years of age, was born in Brenville, Va., and was married there October 28, 1889. She and her husband came to Pittsburgh after the marriage. They lived in one room in Smithfield street and then in four rooms in Wylie avenue, where she had two boarders. Later they moved to Duquesne Heights. She left her husband two years ago last November. She had known Miss Barr since before 1900. Miss Barr was a friend of the wives, and visited her, talking about her children's work at the Lucky school. Weedon was a school director. The witness first heard of certain relations between her husband and Miss Barr after returning from a trip to Virginia. She spoke to her husband about it, and after that he was cruel and mean to her. He never came home until 11 o'clock at night and later, called her low names, and once, when trying to take a love letter from her, she said, choked and bruised her. He denied the stories about Miss Barr.

First Civil, Then Defiant.

The witness had talked to Miss Barr, who at first was civil, and then became defiant. Miss Barr told the witness she came to the house while Mrs. Weedon was in Virginia for personal reasons. The witness said her son resented his father's treatment of his mother, and had seen Weedon kiss Miss Barr on the street. Weedon took the boy from the Lucky school and sent him away to school. He would not tell his wife where this school was, until threatened by her attorneys.

Mrs. Weedon identified a letter she had taken from Weedon's coat, and a copy of another she had secured in the same way. There was a legal fight over the admission of these letters, but both were finally accepted. The letter was signed "C. M. B." The concluding sentence was "I want you to be happy, and would be happiest if the author of your happiness." With this letter was an envelope addressed to Weedon.

The copy of another letter Mrs. Weedon testified she made on a piece of wrapping paper while locked in the bathroom. She had seen Weedon write a letter and put it in a coat pocket. He hung the coat in a closet and she got the letter. The envelope was addressed to H. R. Nye of East Liverpool, O., a friend of Weedon. The copy was not addressed and was unsigned. It opened with "My Dearest Love," and contained many gushing expressions of love and affection. It closed as follows: "May the Lord of love watch over and protect you and keep you steadfast in your love for me, and may you always have confidence in me."

C. E. Liscomb, a brother of Mrs. Weedon, testified that Weedon's earnings in 1903 and 1903 were about $8,000 a year. The witness was formerly a partner of Weedon.

Test Case Over Slot Machines.

William H. Walker filed a bill in equity against the city of Pittsburgh, Mayor W. B. Hays and Director Harry Moore, asking $5,000 damages for the confiscation of slot machines known as the "Elk machine." He claims they are used by reputable storekeepers for the purpose of stimulating trade, and alleges they were taken up by policemen under orders, and his money, about $100, taken from eight of them. He claims business men have been warned against using them, and that the seizure is unlawful and unwarranted. He wants the courts to issue a restraining order and asks the return of his money. The case is a test one to determine the police power in reference to machines of that kind.

James J. Mullen asks $10,000 damages from M. B. Kifer and others, the directors and officers of the Monessen Brewing Company, and a similar amount from John D. Stahl, promoter and organizer of the company, according to the statements of the plaintiff. Mullen avers he sold his house and received as part payment 200 shares of the stock of the company from the purchasers, which stock, he says, was falsely marked fully paid and non-assessable by the defendants in the first-named action, to cheat and defraud persons and to induce them to buy the stock.

In criminal court Judge Shafer sat down hard on C. P. Buchanon, a negro, who claims to have been a practicing attorney in a southern city, but who has resided in Pittsburgh for some time. During the trial of James Marshall, a negro, on a charge of criminally assaulting Essie Scroggins, a colored girl, Buchanon insisted on interrupting the case and cross-examining the witnesses. The judge became angry at the continuous interruptions and in stern tones said to Buchanon: "You sit down and be quiet or we will put you out of the courtroom." Buchanon subsided after Judge Shafer's threat. The jury is out in the case. Irwin Anderson pleaded guilty to stealing a purse from Lizzie Zulauf and was sentenced a year to the workhouse.

Are Arrested on Capias.

Because he remonstrated with them for their reckless driving after they had almost run over his child, Thomas Beckerton of Manown says Dominick Maracini and his son, Sebastian, got out of their wagon and severely assaulted him. On these allegations he entered suit against them for $5,000 damages, and had a capias with special bail fixed at $1,000 issued for their arrest. They were later placed in jail.

An order has been issued by Judge Buffington directing several persons to show cause why they should not be adjudged in contempt. The rule was issued in connection with the bankruptcy proceedings of the Lawrenceville Baking Company, the receiver alleging that certain accounts have not been turned over and that some property has been removed from the premises by persons who calimed to run it.

Judge McClung has made an order providing that if John G. McMichael will accept $5,500 instead of $11,308.20 awarded by a jury in his suit over the purchase of coal lands against George W. Schluderberg a motion for a new trial will be refused.

Judge McClung, in the case of Mary A. Robb against the New York and Cleveland Gas Coal Company, refused a motion made by the defendant on a question of law reserved. The suit was to recover for coal mined on the plaintiff's property. The verdict was for $1,750, and as the mining was knowingly done this carried a verdict of three times that amount, or $5,250.

A voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed by Philander Vorse, a farmer of Cranesville, Erie county. His liabilities are $3,566 and assets $2,202.

The commissioners' reports in the divorce suits of Mollie Mehaffey against Clyde C. Mehaffey, and Bridget Cassels against Thomas Cassels were filed. Ella I. Robb seeks a divorce from William H. Robb and Amanda E. Snyder sues for divorce from William O. Snyder, all alleging desertion.

Elizabeth Evans, a widow, sues the Pennsylvania railroad for $25,000 for the death of her husband, who was killed by a Ft. Wayne train at West Bellevue station.

RIVAL CIVIC PARTY TICKETS DISCUSSED

Twentieth Ward Case Decided in Favor of Civics—Arguments Heard on Other Objections.

The hearing of the Civic party's protests against the filing of Civic party tickets disapproved by the central committee in the Twentieth, Twenty-first, Thirty-second and Thirty-fifth wards was begun yesterday before Judge Kennedy. The Twentieth ward was soon disposed of, the court ordering that a decree be made that the Civic party's ticket containing the names of George H. Stengel, C. W. Houston and C. W. Helmold be printed on the official ballot, instead of the ticket containing the names of Republican candidates in the ward. This ticket was taken out by the Republicans of the ward before the Civic party's regular ticket was filed, but the Republicans consented yesterday to the court's order without argument, as the opposition is already so confused that the chances of the Republicans to win are vastly increased.

Attorney Chas. S. Crawford represented the Civic party in its contest of the validity of the Civic party ticket filed by the J. K. Wynard faction, that faction's nominees being the same as those of the Republicans. Mr. Crawford contended that the Civic party's central committee had approved another ticket. Attorney James M. Clark for the other side, said that the five men who took out the patent for the City party name for the whole city did not thereby acquire a title to the party name in each ward.

Yesterday afternoon W. D. Forsythe filed objections to the Twenty-first ward ticket, supported by Mr. Crawford, this ticket being headed by Dr. G. W. McNeil. Mr. Forsythe alleged that the other Civic party ticket, the one containing the names of the Republican nominees, was the real ticket. These objections have not been heard and may not come up in court if the Twenty-first ward case is decided on the arguments before Judge Kennedy yesterday, made by Attorneys Crawford and Clark.

The contest on the Thirty-fifth ward Citizens' ticket, which is entirely different from the contest on the Civic tickets in the same ward, came up before Judge Kennedy. William F. Schroeder objects to Samuel B. Forse and John M. Tighe, councilmanic candidates, being on the Citizens ticket, on the ground that they do not represent the Citizens party in the ward and that Forse was one of the signers of a Civic party patent.

The Thirty-second ward dispute as to the merits of two rival sets of Civic party nominations was taken up. Witnesses said the ticket objected to, containing the names of the Republican candidates, was filed in the prothonotary's office before the regular hour for opening the office, while the men wishing to file the so-called regular ticket were standing out in the lobby waiting for the doors to open. Several signers of this patent were questioned and admitted they were Republicans and voted at the Republican primaries. One signer was a relative of Jacob Sotel, Jr., the Republican candidate for council. It is known that the taking out of this Civic party patent by some Republicans of the ward was done without the knowledge of the Republican city committee, and was a private venture of the friends of one of the candidates. The court gave no decisions in any but the Twentieth ward case, taking the papers in each instance.

Common pleas court No. 1 will hear at 3 p. m. Monday the arguments on the objections of Joseph M. Dixon to the certificate of nomination filed by E. J. Edwards and Willis D. Stockdale, candidates for council on the Republican and Citizens tickets, said certificates purporting to be the Democratic ticket, with Edwards' and Stockdale's names on it. Dixon and Thomas Scott are the Democratic candidates certified by the Democratic executive committee, which did not like Edwards' reputation.

John Marron, as attorney for John F. Klein, Citizens-Republican candidate for council in the First ward, filed objections to the nomination papers of M. F. Joyce, an independent candidate. It is charged that Joyce has not been a resident of the ward the time required by the statute.

Bernhardt at the Belasco.

In a carefully selected repertoire, embracing four of her most popular plays, Sarah Bernhardt will be seen at the Belasco theater for three nights and a matinee, beginning Thursday, February 8. Despite the fact that mail orders for seats have been pouring into the Belasco for more than two weeks, it is declared by the management that there are still good seats to be had for every performance, and it is certain that when the box office sale of seats opens on Monday morning a long line of prospective ticket purchasers will be in waiting. The repertoire is as follows: Tuesday, "La Sorciere;" Friday, "La Tosca;" Saturday matinee, "Camille;" Saturday evening, "Sapho."

Ohio Veteran Marries Yucatan Girl.

KENT, O., Feb. 2.—(Special)—Edward P. Barber of Kent and Senorita Graziella Vales of Merida, Yucatan, were married in the latter city yesterday. Barber was with the Eighth Ohio regiment in Cuba and with the Forty-fifth United States volunteers in the Philippines for two years as second lieutenant. On his return home he went to Merida as agent for an eastern business house. Senorita Vales is described as handsome and wealthy, and a member of Yucatan's foremost families.

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Jan. 6—Cloudy and mild.
Jan. 8—Snow and cold.
Jan. 9—Clear and cold.
Jan. 10—Clear and cold.
Jan. 11—Smoky and warm.
Jan. 12—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 13—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 15—Very warm.
Jan. 16—Snow and variable.
Jan. 17—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 18—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 19—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 20—Clear and very warm.
Jan. 22—Rainy and warm.
Jan. 23—Rainy and warm.
Jan. 24—Cloudy and cold.
Jan. 25—Clear and warm.
Jan. 26—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 27—Cloudy and warm.
Jan. 29—Clear and warm.
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Twilight, op. 153.....Raff
Abendlied, op. 85, No. 12.....Schumann
"Evening Rest," op. 166.....Loeschhorn
The Nightingale.....Liszt
Torchlight March.....Guilmant
Toccata in E flat.....Capocci
Allegro villereccio.....P. Fumagalli
Second Sonata, op. 71.....M. E. Bossi
Allegro giusto; Andante, quasi Adagio; Fugue.

Pittsburghers in the South.

THE KIRKWOOD, CAMDEN, S. C., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Kerr of Mosley Hall entertained at dinner tonight Mr. and Mrs. John McClurg Hayes of Pittsburgh and Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Whistler.

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PITTSBURGH LOSES TO AMERICAN SOO

Crippled Team Again Goes Down to Defeat in Rough Game in the North.

SIXSMITH'S ABSENCE IS FELT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAULT STE MARIE, MICH., Feb. 2.—The American Soo before a still larger crowd than the one Wednesday night, tonight defeated Pittsburg in a hotly contested game, 5 to 1. Arthur Sixsmith was out of the game entirely, as his hand is no better. The team did not hang together as it did when Sixsmith was in the fray. The playing throughout the game tonight was fast and furious, although Referee Elliott did not start to hand out penalties until late in the first half, when he put one after another to the fence.

Rod Stuart was on the bench for nearly all of the second half. Pitrie was ruled off near the end, while Stuart and Laviolette got into a fight with five minutes yet to play in the second half, and were both put off for the balance of the game.

Baird and Winchester were the only members of the visitors who were in good condition, and they played a great game. Jones, at goal for Soo, was responsible for the scarcity of Pittsburgh scores as the shots toward the last of the game rattled around his net.

The Soo captain, Laviolette, played a hard game, but rough, in fact, this was the roughest game played yet at the Soo. The visitors go to Canadian Soo tomorrow night to play the team there. The lineup:

American Soo—5.		Pittsburgh—1.
Jones	G	Winchester
Howell	P	Baird
Hamilton	C. P.	Stuart
McMillan	F	Campbell
Petrie	C	Roberts
Switzer	R. W.	Robinson
Laviolette	L. W.	Kent

Referee—Elliott.

The carnival at the Duquesne garden ended last night in a blaze of glory. The races were decided without a hitch and resulted in what might be called a bright victory for Alan Bright of High school, who captured three out of four events in which he was entered. The finish of the potato race was exciting, Bright winning by inches. Summary of the races:

Obstacle race—First, Alan Bright. Time, 1:10 2-5.

Three-legged race—First, Alan Bright and Glen McKee. Time, 1:10.

Potato race—First, Alan Bright. Time, 1:22.

Eggs, spoon and umbrella—First, W. I. Allinder. Time, :59.

Team race—First, Miss Dawson and Mr. Jones. Time, 2:07.

The grand march after the races was a great sight. Here was a tramp next a Spanish maiden, while on the other side would be a French court cavalier. The prizes were awarded by a jury of newspaper men, and they awarded the prize for the most unique costume to Mr. Lindsay and Miss Stella Harris; for the funniest to Mr. McKane; for the fanciest to Miss M. Wall and Mr. L. J. Schnedle. Miss Nancy Neely was awarded an extra prize. Tonight the returns from the Pittsburgh-Canadian Soo game will be read from the special wire at the garden. This is the last league game which will be played in the north before the team returns home.

SCHOOL HOCKEY TEAMS PLAY AT FRIENDSHIP PARK

As the result of the cold weather the ice at Friendship park is in good order. The first game of hockey played in the park this season was yesterday between the teams belonging to the Pittsburgh High school. The Shop seniors and the A 2 class opposed one another yesterday, and a hotly contested game was won by the Shop seniors 6 to 2. The lineup:

Shop—6.		A 2 Class—2.
Hill	G	Knotts
Rowley	P	Davis
Fleshman	C. P.	Disque
Hayden	C. P.	Flood
Wallis	F	Downs
W. Smith	L. W.	Parker
Roberts	R. W.	T. Smith

Goals—Shop, Roberts 3, Hayden 2, Smith 1, A 2 Class—Parker 2.

Last Day of the Motor Regatta.

PALM BEACH, FLA., Feb. 2.—The last day of the second annual motor boat regatta on Lake Worth was marked by the running off of four events, chief among which was the one-mile dash for the Sir Thomas E. Dewar trophy. Two heats were run in this event, H. L. Bowden's Mercedes winning both. The Dewar trophy must be won twice consecutively before it becomes the permanent property of any racer. The 10-35 mile event, postponed from Tuesday, was won by George E. Andrews' "Shadow" in 1 hour, 3 minutes and 14 seconds. The 5.175-mile consolation race, open to boats not winning in previous events, was won by C. S. Coggins' Blanche in 35 minutes and 43 seconds. The last event, at 10:35-mile race, open to speed boats, was won by Bowden's Mercedes in 32 minutes and 18 seconds.

Tamaqua Beats Lyceum.

On Lyceum floor—

Lyceum—25.		Tamaqua—37.
McInerny	F	Bailey
Yeager	F	Allen
O'Donnell	C	Bonnell
Geisler	C	Wilson
Orr	G	Prosser

Field goals—McInerny 5, Bailey 5, Yeager 2, Allen 4, O'Donnell, Bonnell 2, Orr, Wilson 3, Kramer 2, Prosser 2. Foul goals—Yeager 3, Bonnell 5. Substitutions—Kramer for Orr, Thompson for O'Donnell. Referee—Kelley.

Twenty Eight Rounds of Fighting.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Feb. 2.—Dave Deshler of this city was given the decision over Maurice Severs of Milwaukee after 20 rounds of fast fighting at the Middlesex Athletic club tonight.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., Feb. 2.—Jack Dougherty tonight got the decision over Buddy Ryan in an eight-round bout.

Parker Knocked Out by Sullivan.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 2.—Kid Sullivan of Washington tonight knocked out Kid Parker of Chicago in the second round of what was scheduled as a 15-round fight before the Eureka Athletic club. Parker made a good fight while it lasted, but succumbed to a whirlwind of body blows.

Big Chicken Fight in Sight.

NEW MARTINSVILLE, W. VA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—A big cocking main will shortly be pulled off in this city. There will be 15 fights. The last fight will be for $100 a side. Sports from all parts of the state are expected.

BASKETBALL LAST NIGHT.

IRWIN, PA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The Duquesne Library five this evening defeated Irwin 29 to 21.

The Sewickley Y. M. C. A. received its first defeat of the season last night from the East Liverpool Y. M. C. A. five on the Sewickley floor, 42 to 22. Field goals—Gray 3, Carroll, Miller 2, Douglas 4, Welsh 3, Allison 10, Neal 3, Emmerig 3, Bucher. Foul goals—Miller, Douglas, Welsh 3. Referee—McPherson. Umpire—McCullough. Time of halves—20 minutes.

The South Side Independents bent the Bolger club 17 to 14.

Sycamore defeated the Matinee club on the latter's floor 24 to 12.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Conshohocken won a hotly contested game from East Liverpool tonight, 29 to 28.

The C. A. C. of Braddock defeated the Armory five of Pittsburgh in the Carnegie gymnasium, Braddock, last night, 24 to 8.

BASKETBALL NOTES.

The St. John's Lyceum second team defeated the Congress A. C., 32 to 4.

The Motley club of Lawrenceville defeated the McKees Rocks team, 39 to 7.

The Tamaqua and South Side teams will meet tonight at Odd Fellows hall, South Side, in the third and last of their series.

The Mt. Oliver and Martin teams will come together tonight at Young's hall in Knoxville.

The D. L. and G. A. five plays at Irwin tonight. All players report at 6:45 sharp.

The Keystone A. A. will play the Bellevue Y. M. C. A. at Bellevue this evening. All Keystone players report at the residence of D. Kelly, Avalon street, not later than 6:30 o'clock. The Keystone A. A. have no game for Thursday and Saturday evenings. Any 15 or 16-year-old team having halls address R. B. Kerner, 527 Carnegie building, Pittsburgh.

The Hazelton club wants games with 15-year-old teams. Call 2701 Schenley.

FEDERALS BREAK A RECORD

Harris and Schad Each Roll Two 200 Scores, the First Time That Has Ever Been Done.

LATEST NEWS OF THE ALLEYS

The Federals of the Allegheny section last night on the Federal alleys, although losing one game to the North Side, broke a County league record. Two of their members each made two 200 scores. This is the first time in the history of the league that this feat was performed. Players have made two 200 scores and several have made three, but never before has a team had two men to bowl two 200 scores in the same match. Harris rolled 201 and 200 and Schad got 217 and 214. It is the second time Bill Schad made two century scores this season and the first time for Harris. Altogether two 200 scores in a match in the Allegheny section were made eight times. In the matter of team work it was the second time the Federals made two 900 scores. On November 1 they hung up figures of 913 and 914. They are the only team in the section that made the record this season. In the first game the North Sides made 900, their third 900 score of the season. They beat these figures on January 16, when they rolled 984. It was a great game, with 900 scores as thick as snowflakes. Scores:

Federal—				North Side—			
Harris	201	200	267	Weber	174	150	207
Saul	188	173	149	Snyder	203	176	138
Hahn	183	157	188	Hepler	204	183	154
Harneck	143	178	214	E. Vey	176	182	185
Schad	174	217	214	Dinkel	209	157	168
Totals	889	919	982	Totals	966	858	852

In the Pittsburgh section, on the Carrick alleys, last night, the Carricks won two out of three games from the Ton Dus. The Carricks reached the highest mark in the second game, when they chalked up 885. Salmon was the star, with high score of 210 and also the best average. Scores:

Ton Dus—				Carrick—			
Salmon	210	189	143	Fromm	132	156	208
Young	170	157	126	Tillman	155	149	161
Williams	132	183	181	Corbauthon	138	178	156
Zimmerman	162	159	140	Fugman	180	209	173
Hirsh	166	175	178	P. Pastrius	143	166	196
Totals	841	839	719	Totals	746	895	835

In the Monongahela section of the Allegheny County league, at Turtle Creek last night, the Colonials took two games from Braddock. Bates had high score, with 204, and high average of 187 2-3. Colonials on Thursday night took two out of three games from the Irwin team, giving Colonials 13 out of 18 games played. Scores:

Colonials—				Braddocks—			
McCain	128	134	164	Bates	159	140	204
Monk	190	186	150	McAdams	152	176	138
Montgomery	169	178	148	S. Estricker	135	129	157
Stewart	165	144	179	B. Seng	111	156	157
Wilson	141	153	163	Barnes	129	153	155
Totals	783	795	818	Totals	687	754	841

In the South Pittsburgh league last night the Shilohs captured all three games from the Senators. Some ordinary scores were made, but the Shilohs hit the 800 mark in the first and second games. Charles was the boss bowler, with high score and best average. Scores:

Shiloh—				Senators—			
Tuchey	155	150	157	Seibel	163	187	131
Poke	155	151	119	Hoobler	154	157	128
Baird	157	157	131	Lasheld	137	130	138
Russell	144	153	181	Eddman	118	189	157
Charles	153	200	179	Miller	182	117	158
Totals	870	830	767	Totals	754	748	722

In the Westinghouse Clerk's league on the East Pittsburgh alleys last night section W defeated section C in two out of three games. Painter had high score of 189 and did the best work. Scores:

Section C.—				Section W—			
Isaac	109	148	109	Painter	167	189	142
Ross	134	144	121	Kuhns	124	150	142
Simpson	139	111	149	Conrad	128	132	189
Henderson	152	145	102	Burton	176	126	154
Beam	143	146	162	Nevin	165	132	170
Totals	678	694	643	Totals	640	729	770

An interesting match took place last night on Wylie Avenue alleys, between the two leaders in the race, O. & P. and Commercials, and the O. & P. captured all three games. The O. & P. are now the leaders by a fair margin, and in the contest all scores were over the 800 mark. The Commercials failed to reach that mark in any of the three games. Spang was the star bowler, with high score and best average. Scores:

Commercials—				O. & P.—			
W. Bert	155	143	141	Newcomer	174	148	159
Shaner	147	156	125	Boyle	179	157	...
Spratt	197	164	124	Spang	187	178	199
Bergerding	138	175	171	Devore	154	171	171
H. Bert	128	136	143	Hewitt	156	154	173
				Steinel			153
Totals	773	774	704	Totals	850	808	855

The undefeated Millvale ducklets met their Waterloo last night on the Arcade alleys at McKeesport by losing two out of three games. Wilson had high score and several of the other bowlers had almost an equal average. Scores:

Arcade—				Millvale—			
Freeman	85	72	90	England	93	99	83
Sheets	88	76	93	Dies	98	91	93
Viard	92	86	100	Breckenstein	74	85	82
Wilson	80	101	78	Gammon	82	92	84
Delaven	95	78	83	Jackson	93	93	88
Totals	440	407	442	Totals	438	460	422

In the Carnegie league last night the Unions captured three straight from the Yules, Foster having high score of 180, an Bo m high average of 163 1-3. Scores:

Unions—				Yules—			
Foster	137	180	169	Frye	136	156	141
Bowers	155	175	160	Schafer	139	128	123
Bulger	174	128	158	A. Wagner	160	123	161
Steen	95	101	159	McClane	103	146	134
Smith	109	158	129	Lafferty	119	115	119
Totals	570	740	798	Totals	657	668	683

In the Wilkinsburg league last night Sterling took three games from Maplewood. Kinley had high score, with 204, and high average went to McCormick, with 189 1-3. Score:

Maplewood—				Sterling—			
Kinley	204	150	123	J. Thier	164	184	181
Burns	176	145	181	Monheim	170	176	166
Sager	124	183	173	Stotler	140	...	...
Brinley	115	186	164	F. Thier	160	175	189
Downing	130	174	149	McCormick	201	171	165
				Swissheim	...	154	170
Totals	752	838	795	Totals	835	860	875

In the Allegheny County Ducklin league, last night, on the Casino alleys, Wilkinsburg, Casino took two games from the Southerns. All the games were well rolled. Adams had high score, with 115, and high average, with 99. Score:

Casino—				Southern—			
Yerkes	104	77	87	Scott	85	110	95
Fiscus	84	70	81	Erny	82	83	94
Beck	87	95	113	Weber	89	96	83
Adams	88	115	94	Mary	85	93	89
Sawyer	78	94	103	Dapper	80	89	92
Totals	441	451	478	Totals	421	467	451

In a postponed Mercantile league match, on the Club alleys last night the Arbuthnot-Stephensons defeated the Joseph Hornes all three games, and thereby take the lead in the league. The star bowler was Hartung, who had high score of 211 and also best average of 194 2-3. White also run up a good score and average. Score:

Arbuthnot-Stephen				Joseph Horne Co.—			
Hartung	211	177	196	Beisel	162	155	124
Tweed	126	155	136	Hungman	192	155	160
White	158	203	170	Young	179	138	148
Anderson	147	127	158	McConnell	133	126	124
Orr	166	189	159	Durham	131	188	145
Totals	842	822	799	Totals	781	772	701

The Drug league played two matches on the Wylie Avenue alleys last night. One was the regular schedule, and the other was a postponed game. The Gilmores won two out of three games from the Doctors, and the Kellys duplicated the feat against the Pittsburghs. Schauwecker was high, with 195. Several bowlers had almost an equal average. Scores:

Pittsburgh—				Kelley—			
Panley	135	128	151	Schauwecker	195	111	161
Hess	168	147	188	Brown	161	136	158
Dewen	125	130	125	Lutz	133	158	135
Urben	177	149	148	Todd	122	134	125
Lorah	184	145	163	Herron	174	157	120
Totals	779	679	775	Totals	840	636	704

Gilmore—				Doctors—			
Irvin	125	147	157	Engle	137	156	178
First	150	133	148	Poole	132	139	161
Dempster	143	151	137	Elliott	142	92	157
Strurbecker	148	183	147	Laughlin	161	169	143
Hutchins	147	129	154	Milligan	151	129	154
Totals	763	750	743	Totals	724	685	771

One of the greatest match games in the Liberty league was spoiled last night on account of the Central only having four men in their lineup, and thereby lost all three games to the Shadyside by forefeit. The Shadyside ran up three 900 scores. The individual bowling was splendid. Silber had three 200 scores and Mc-Grath was high, with 233. Gramer and Walbach had two double century scores. Scores:

Shadyside—				Centrals—			
Silber	211	200	223	Greb	174	169	164
Phillippi	130	159	186	Ernen	135	147	189
F. Besselman	169	203	174	Kramer	148	146	210
A. Smith	171	196	145	Neaibach	218	221	183
McGrath	176	184	233				
Totals	917	910	961	Totals	975	693	757

Good scores were made in the Twin City league on the Federal alleys last night. The high water mark was reached by the Pioneers, who ran up the good score of 927 in the last game. The double century bowlers were Falkner, Falgers, Nues, Maxon and McPherson. Maxon was the high roller, with 231. Scores:

Maccabees—				Xanthas—			
Braun	170	178	167	Davis	152	129	137
Boelkirk	178	115	142	Kuhn	146	...	...
Allen	172	152	155	Roll	170	141	164
Powell	167	109	144	Cameron	165	131	127
Cook	165	164	165	Lamb	164	149	178
				Nixon	...	...	145
Totals	821	769	762	Totals	797	648	720

Ellis Bears—				Pioneers—			
Ulery	159	152	174	Hooper	157	165	216
Miller	150	166	145	Falkner	165	209	173
Burrows	167	126	153	Taffee	168	132	174
Nesbit	167	153	155	Folger	169	180	207
Bruce	189	188	148	Watson	143	149	157
Totals	822	785	775	Totals	802	835	927

Royals—				Premiers—			
J. R. Thomas	157	162	133	Shackley	133	152	159
Parks	159	157	149	Bell	138	139	138
J. Thomas	139	164	147	Lambe	132	131	144
Palmer	110	146	152	Nuse	163	201	176
McKeever	156	132	131	Berry	167	173	199
Totals	709	741	712	Totals	755	818	848

Fosters—				Black Diamond—			
Danston	177	150	166	Barber	162	144	150
Mackenzie	158	173	141	Cullison	116	160	151
Bossler	156	134	181	Richards	178	151	169
Meisner	142	199	176	McGuire	119	173	172
Gillespie	166	165	185	Phillips	111	180	96
Totals	798	880	829	Totals	617	813	680

Prudentials—				Lehigh—			
Hambley	150	130	110	Heiny	162	184	156
Stubbe	122	125	124	Hardcastle	164	121	129
Maxon	142	189	231	Baltzell	139	123	94
Farrer	112	112	166	Crawford	122	141	143
Macpherson	156	149	208	Johnson	137	142	173
Totals	684	705	839	Totals	715	701	682

Below are the scores of the different teams of the Plumbers and Jobbers' league on the Club alleys last night. Ordinary scores were the rule, but all games were interesting to the participants:

Little Five—				Duquesne—			
Beatty	174	140	127	Sheehan	150	144	160
Fahrer	149	131	164	White	96	107	145
Valley	146	144	134	Henessey	113	167	85
Shum	131	112	127	Laud	128	120	151
Gordon	86	129	88	Corns	147	116	153
Totals	895	656	572	Totals	646	665	674

Dutchtown—				Anchor Sanitary—			
Strauss	121	108	80	Brettell	157	115	103
Bloedel	119	121	126	Burke	150	159	149
Kibech	135	151	162	Tantz	88	170	139
Pfisiger	143	127	110	Bailey	123	121	144
Scanbern	116	102	154	Glen	153	186	172
Totals	634	609	640	Totals	676	757	708

Downtown Plumbers				Harris Supply Co.—			
Rickett	110	114	122	Rome	101	103	83
Sully	126	109	115	Mickley	85	120	112
Bacham	109	115	84	Faust	160	134	156
Sullivan	142	110	88	Kincade	78	121	161
Sherman	131	125	...	Plathe	110	132	151
Green	...	...	106				
Totals	628	564	515	Totals	584	610	588

Exhibition game on Club alleys last night:

Viennas—				White River—			
Seib	111	109	74	Kramer	137	162	141
Giberson	89	93	76	Stoddart	146	121	115
Fabig	107	96	124	Birsch	124	131	127
Paul	111	156	158	Evans	144	113	135
Thompson	154	146	194	Bleker	109	105	162
Totals	582	611	606	Totals	650	632	650

James Miller has joined the Crescents of the Allegheny section and will be eligible to bowl on February 10.

Capt. Benjamin of the Alvin orchestra team challenges Capt. Holcomb of the Gayety, the match to take place on the Federal alleys any day between 5 and 7 o'clock. Answer through The Gazette.

J. H. Braddock.—The five-man team championship at Milwaukee last year resulted: First, Gunther No. 2 of Chicago; second, Century No. 1 of Chicago; third, Farmers of Cleveland; fourth, Americans of Detroit; fifth, Chic and George, of Cincinnati.

Dan Koster of Erie, Pa., announces that Erie would vote for Philadelphia at the National bowling congress which will be held in Louisville, beginning March 17.

Billy Schad of Allegheny and M. W. Fitzharris of Tarentum are matched to roll a series of 10 games for $50 a side. Five games are to be rolled on the Tarentum alleys and five on the Federal alleys. The dates have not yet been agreed upon.

Harry Votel and J. J. Higgins are willing to join the team suggested by M. W. Fitzharris to roll against East Liverpool. They, with Richardson of the North Braddock team, were in Pittsburgh yesterday and did a little practice work on the Federal and Club alleys.

It is likely that a meeting of the executive committee of the County league will be called for some day next week.

Entry blanks for the national tournament at Louisville next month may be received from George A. Metzger at the Federal. They include the individual, the two-men team and the five-man team events. There are enough blanks to go around and will be gladly given to all applicants.

The teams of stars headed by Adam Hahn and M. J. Dougherty will roll their first series of games at Braddock next Tuesday.

J. Donovan has not resigned from the Braddocks. He and Weatlake are still members. A meeting of the Braddock team has been called for Monday night to take action on the false reports sent out.

The postponed match between the Colonial and Braddock teams will be rolled on Tuesday night.

OLYMPIA LOSES TO THE GLENWOODS

Arlington Wins Again and Is Now on the Heels of the Leaders in the Pool League.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Olympia	15	3	.833	Glenwood	10	8	.556
Arlington	14	4	.778	Crescent	9	9	.500
Vorwerck	11	7	.611	Union	8	10	.451
Federal	11	7	.611	Friendship	4	14	.222
Garfield	10	8	.556	Primrose	4	14	.222
Demmel	10	8	.588	Lyceum	2	16	.111

The 15th round of the Allegheny Pool league was played last night, and the games were very hotly contested. The star game of the evening was that between the Glenwood and Olympia teams, the Glenwoods putting it on the leaders. The Arlingtons are only one game from first place, and are coming fast. The Garfields had it out with the champion Vorwercks and won out by the fine playing of Yohrling and Doplix. The Demmels won from the Crescents by the fine playing of Klasen, their new man, and he deserves credit for the victory, as he made many difficult shots. The players making high scores for their teams were: Merriman of Glenwood, with 66; Ponte of Arlington, 57; Klasen of Demmel, 55; Yohrling of Garfield, 53; Black of Union, 48. The score is as follows:

At Vorwerck—			
Vorwerck—		Garfield—	
Ernst	24	Yahrling	53
Vorwerck	32	Dopler	41
Elson	32	Rampanelli	7
Total	88	Totals	101

Scratches—Vorwerck 4, Garfield 1. Referee—Ward. Scorers—Hahn and Weber.

At Union—			
Union—		Arlington—	
Seawald	18	Ponte	57
Black	43	Miller	33
Tomlinson	13	Round	14
Total	83	Total	103

Scratches—Union 2, Arlington 3. Referee—Meredith. Scorers—Edwards and Ott.

At Olympia—			
Olympia—		Glenwood—	
Gleason	34	Merriman	66
Coulter	24	Meehan	24
Travers	6	Valentine	14
Total	74	Total	104

Scratches—Olympia 7, Glenwood 6. Referee—McVicker. Scorer—King.

At Crescent—			
Crescent—		Demmel—	
Brown	21	Klasen	75
Malloy	26	Aul	18
Baker	24	Coates	29
Total	81	Total	122

Scratches—Crescent 9, Demmel 2. Referee—Blade. Scorers—Graham and Stemmer.

At Lyceum—Lyceum again forfeited, this time to Federal.

At Friendship—Primrose failed to show up and forfeited to the Friendships.

A meeting of the Allegheny County league has been called for this office on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The indications are that there will be a shakeup on account of the numerous forfeited games. Some team is certain to be ousted and there are two applications for vacancies. One is the Arsenal team and the other the Wilmerding team. Applicants should be present at the meeting.

Sam Ramsey is now a member of the Crescent team, taking the place of Clepper.

In the Hazelwood tournament last night Lair defeated Jones by a score of 90 to 36. Lair still has a clean score, not having lost a game. He is playing a steady game and last night won in the last two frames. The score was a tie when the fourth frame began. Score:

Lair	2	10	10	5	9	11	50		
Jones	13	5	4	7	5	2	36		

Referee—Murray. Scorer—Ingram.

Standfasts Outplay St. Peter's.

The Standfast pool team defeated the St. Peter's Lyceum team last night by the score of 109 to 76, thereby winning the series, which stood at a tie. Wernst, Schroeffel and Primean were in excellent form, while Standfast played his man safe at all times. Schoeffel had a fine run of 15 and Wernst hung up high score of 42. The Standfast team is open to meet any team in the county. Address A. Standfast, 808 East street, Allegheny. Score:

Standfast—		St. Peter's Lyceum—	
Schroeffel	38	Mowry	23
Standfast	25	McGinley	17
Wernert	42	Primean	37
Total	105	Total	77

Scratches—Standfast 5, St. Peter's—9. Referee W. Schnitgen. Scorer—C. Footwingler.

Hazelwood Defeats the Brennans.

The Hazelwood pool team added another victory to their list by defeating the Brennan team of Nineteenth street, by a score of 109 to 55. Lair had high run of 16 balls. Hazelwood is still open to meet any amateur team in Western Pennsylvania. Address J. N. Barbin, 4829 Second avenue, or call up 299 Park and ask for Bob Murray. Score:

Brennan—		Hazelwood—	
Seman	8	Meehan	45
Cavanaugh	17	Lair	36
Golden	36	Murray	23
Total	61	Total	104

Scratches—Brennan 6, Hazelwood 3. Referee—O. A. Whittaker. Scorer—Sullivan.

St. Joseph Boys Victorious.

In the Diocesan league last night the St. Josephs defeated the St. Charles. The fine playing of Hungerman of St. Joseph with 54 balls was the feature. Ommert of St. Charles had high score for his team with 33 balls. Score:

St. Joseph—		St. Charles—	
Hungerman	54	J. Gillig	9
King	19	Ommert	38
Werhein	27	Roth	24
Total	103	Total	71

Referee—F. Steiner. Scorer—Cunningham.

JOHNSTOWN WINS FROM PITTSBURGH.

Flood City Passers Defeat Local High School at Basketball by the Score of 34 to 24.

VICTORS ARE THE HEAVIER

The Johnstown High school won from the Pittsburgh High school basketball team yesterday afternoon on the latter's floor, 34 to 24. The game was rough throughout and the heavier Johnstown players had the advantage.

In the second half National rules were employed, and this was a big disadvantage to Pittsburgh, as it is unfamiliar with these rules. Hoerle and Replogle played the best game for Johnstown, while Gass and Rosser excelled for Pittsburgh. The line-up:

P. H. S.—24.		J. H. S.—34.
Van Senden	F	Replogle
Van Gorder	F	Hoerle
Gass	C	Lindsay
Ament, Worrell	G	Barnett
Rosser	G	James

Field goals—Von Senden 3, Van Gorder 3, Gass 3, Rosser 2, Replogle 6, Hoerle 6, Lindsay, Barnett, James. Fouls—Rosser 2, Replogle 2. Referee and umpire—Monroe and Ralston.

Allegheny Beaten at Butler.

BUTLER, PA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The champion Butler High school basketball team defeated the Allegheny High school team, 47 to 12, in the Y. M. C. A. this evening. The game was not as one-sided as the score indicates, and the playing was fierce and hard at all times. Baker for Butler and Thompson for Allegheny carried off the honors. Score:

Butler—47		Allegheny—12.
Baker	F	Albrecht
Forsythe	F	Thompson
Lapham	C	Weger
Gerner	G	Gray
W. Klingensmith	G	R. Weger

Goals from field—Baker 9, Forsythe 4, Lapham 3, Cleland 2, Gerner, Klingler, Klingensmith 2, Thompson, Weger. Goals from foul—Baker 3, Thompson 3. Fouls called—On Butler 15, on Allegheny 8. Substitution—Cleland for Lapham, Klingler for Gerner, McGeary for Baker.

Grove City college won from W. U. P. at basketball last night on the Duquesne garden floor, 23 to 21. McCurdy, the Grove City captain, threw a goal from field over his head, which broke a tie, with but a few seconds to play, and it won for the up-country collegians. The lineup:

Grove City—23.		W. U. P.—21.
McCurdy	F	Turbush, Murry
Ketler	F	Whyte
Nesbitt	C	McCandless
Hartwell	G	Gill
Creider	G	McCormick

Field goals—McCurdy 3, Ketler 2, Nesbit 2, Preider, Turbush 2, Murry, McCandless 3, Gill 2, McCormick. Foul goals—White, Gill 2, McCurdy 7. Official—Prinz, W. U. P.

The preliminary was played between the East Liberty academy team and the class A of Carnegie Tech. East Liberty winning, 28 to 10. Stewart put up the best game for East Liberty.

ALEX M'CRACKEN MAKES FIFTEEN FIELD GOALS

WASHINGTON, PA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—The Bellevue High school five was beaten by Trinity hall this afternoon 68 to 14. The local preps. played well, particularly the center, who threw 15 field goals. The line-up:

Trinity Hall—68.		Bellevue—14.
A. Wagner, Young	F	Kevan
Brush	F	Barnes
McCracken	C	McWilliams
W. Wagner	G	Church, Langfitt
Ingham, Suter	G	Bowerman

Field goals—Young 4, Brush 10, A. Wagner 5, McCracken 15, Kevan 2, Barnes 4, McWilliams, Church. No fouls. Time—20-minute halves. Officials—Eckles and Montgomery.

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FAVORITES BEHIND ON THE RUNNING TRACKS

Only Two Cross the Line in the Lead at the Fair Grounds Course.

WINNIE ADAMS FALLS DOWN

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—There was little class to the fair grounds card today and both Jerry Lynch and Legatee won rather on the poor quality of the material opposed to them than on their merits. Holloway was the only other winning favorite. Salvisa, in the second race, was all but left at the post. King Ellsworth pulled up bleeding at a critical moment in his race. Weather fine; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 5½ furlongs—Dr. Coffey, 111 (Roburs), 11 to 5, won; Proteus, 103 (W. Hayes), 40 to 1, second; Usury, 101 (L. Smith), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 1-5. Amador, Sweet Favor, Ala Russell, Swell Girl, Pinsticker, Bill Carroll, San Antone, Duessa and May Gorman ran.

Second race, 5½ furlongs—King Leopold, 110 (Crimmins), 60 to 1, won; Helen Lucas, 111 (O'Neill), 10 to 1, second; Salvisa, 105 (W. Hayes), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 4-5. Mamie K., Miss Hynes, L. A. S., Blackjack, Pepper and Salt, Bitter See, Rudy, Sinalila, Runsum and W. A. Gorman ran.

Third race, mile and an eighth—Jerry Lynch, 110 (Hayes), 7 to 2, won; Athena, 110 (Crimmins), 30 to 1, second; Kenton, 106 (Jones), 10 to 1, third. Time, 1:56. Light Opera, Arabo, Lemon Girl, Gleeman, Gay Lizette, Bernice, Roumer, Hart and Handbag ran.

Fourth race, 6½ furlongs, handicap—Broomhandle, 103 (McLaughlin), 9 to 2, won; Lady Vashti, 106 (Sewell), even, second; Escutcheon, 105 (J. Martin), 9 to 5, third. Time, 1:19 4-5. Cigar Lighter and Shumpike ran.

Fifth race, one mile—Holloway, 101 (McDonald), 11 to 5, won; Nine, 111 (J. Martin), 9 to 2, second; Kitty Platt, 109 (Reynolds), 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:42. Rainland, Bitterhand, King Ellsworth, Harry Scott and Stockwood ran.

Sixth race, mile and an eighth—Legatee, 105 (Diggins), 8 to 2, won; Prince Salm Salm, 107 (Bedell), 9 to 2, second; Saul, 113 (Mountain), 16 to 1, third. Time, 1:56 1-5. John Randolph, Jim Collins, Benora, Maggie Doran, Erne, Mr. Wixson, Semper Vivax, Soldier of Fortune and Ethel's Pride ran.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—6 furlongs, selling:

Go To Win	91	Girdle	100
Many Thanks	92	Enverito	100
Gay Adelaide	97	Whorler	101
Hannibal Bey	97	Celebration	103
Ben Lear	97	The Cure	106
Avoid	97	Elastic	110
Lady Rey	98	Glengallant	113
Lady Henrietta	98		

Second race—5½ furlongs:

Sonnett	95	Southern Cross	106
Buttercup	96	Peter Paul	112
Grove Center	97	Mayor Johnson	112
Joe Colson	97	Luretta	112
First Premium	100	Plater	112
The Ram	103	Col. White	112
Stoner Hill	100	Goldsmith	115
Lucullus	109		

Third race—1 1-16 miles, handicap:

*Monaco Maid	93	Schoolmate	100
Don't Ask Me	99	Lieber	103
*Rainland	100	St. Valentine	116
Macbeth	100		

*Goldbiatt entry.

Fourth race—4 furlongs:

Jack Hardy	103	Diebolo	109
Dr. J. F. Aitken	103	De Oro	113
Big Store	106	Black Mate	118
Blackhand	106	Bertmont	115
Zick Abrams	109		

Fifth race—1 mile:

Ruth W.	95	Lancastrina	100
Bitter Brown	95	Hollow Mass	110
Macy Jr	100		

Sixth race—1 1-16 miles, selling:

Lena J	96	Edward Hale	110
Sincerity Belle	98	Colonist	111
Fred Hornbeck	103	Nomes	111
Henry O	106	The Regent	111
Decoration	106	Mr. Jack	114
Bonnie Pr. Charlie	108		

Seventh race—1 1-16 miles, selling:

Water Lake	90	Royal Pearl	106
Pattonville	92	Carnival	107
Jim Collins	100	Latheron	108
Bravery	101	Frank Rice	108
Athena	103	Barkelmore	108
Benofa	106	St. John	110
Bowler	103	Dapple Gold	110
Brilliant	105		

SURPRISE OF THE DAY.

Minnie Adams Beaten at New Orleans by Quinn Brady and Don Fonso.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 2.—Favorites failed to land a single race on the City park card today. In the steeplechase Redmah bolted and Ohio King, Blue Grass Girl and Tripoli fell. The defeat of Minnie Adams, in the fourth, was the surprise of the day. Weather clear; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 7 furlongs—April Shower, 112, Koerner, 12 to 1, first; Giffain, 117, Daly, 7 to 1, second; Immortelle, 107, Tillman, 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:28 3-5. Federal, Leader, Clique, Oddolett, Sweet Kitty Bellairs, Limerick Girl, Azelina, Alcantara, Royal Legend, Miladi Love and Saranola also ran.

Second race, 3½ furlongs—Colloquy, 105, Oeri, 4 to 1, first; Leas, 116, J. Jones, 4 to 1, second; Blue Dale, 110, Nicol, even, third. Time, :41 3-5. Prophetess, Arthur Rosenfield, King Brush, Miss Jewell, Larry D, Tom Morgan, Black Flag and Belsay also ran.

Third race, short course, steeplechase—Flying Raincloud, 123, Dupee, 3 to 1, first; Judge Nohana, 145, E. Miller, 5 to 2, second; Trourere, 136, Gilmore, 15 to 1, third. Time, 3:08 2-5. Ohio King, Redman, Blue Grass Girl, Conclave and Tripoli also ran.

Fourth race, 5½ furlongs, handicap—Quinn Brady, 114, D. Austin, 11 to 2, first; Don Fonso, 105, F. Smith, 9 to 1, second; Minnie Adams, 115, Nicol, 2 to 5, third. Time, 1:07 2-5. Begonia, Nutwood and Meadow Breeze also ran.

Fifth race, 1 mile—Florizel, 102, Perrett, 9 to 5, first; Baron Esher, 105, Nicol, 6 to 5, second; Freebooter, 101, McIntyre, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:46 3-5. Careless also ran.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Hadur, 89, Harrigan, 10 to 1, first; Big Bow, 106, Dealy, 9 to 2, second; Tarp, 89, Heffernan, 8 to 5, third. Time, 1:48 3-5. Marling, Brushton, Rian and Belden also ran.

Seventh race, 6 furlongs—Braden, 109, D. Austin, 2 to 1, first; Felix Mozzes, 112, Romanelli, 15 to 1, second; Aurceiver, 110, Oregar, even, third. Time, 1:14 2-5. Weberfields and Netty Bumppo also ran.

CITY PARK ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—2¼ miles, selling:

Little Wally	107	Parham	106
Hymettus	108	Safety Light	105
Rankin	106	Mildred L	100
Ernest	106	Del Carina	94

Second race—1⅛ miles, selling:

Elliott	117	Malediction	99
Keynote	114	Little Giant	97
Red Ruler	107	The Gleam	95
Gravina	107	Fonsoluca	92
Sanction	102	Leader	100
Amberita	102		

Third race—steeplechase, short course:

New Amsterdam	170	John Owens	140
Class Leader	156	Ben Battle	140
Pick Time	155	Onyx II	139
Charawind	147	Gould	139

Fourth race—6 furlongs, the Orleans handicap:

Floral King	130	Auditor	103
John Carroll	128	Felix Mozzes	100
Jack Dolan	112	Jack Adams	99
Bryan	121	*Austarita	99
Carnish	112	*Lucy Young	96
Minnie Adams	110	Lady Esther	94
St. Joseph	108	Rusted	90

*Neble entry.

Fifth race—1 1-16 miles, handicap:

*Orley II	131	Huzzah	95
*Foreigner	109	Sailor Boy	93
Envoy	110	Hughes	90
Gold Mate	104		

*Civil entry.

Sixth race—5 furlongs:

Pat Bulgar	131	Bert Osra	93
Robinhood	123	Lucy Young	97
John Carroll	122	Frances Dillon	97
Cascine	114	Miss Jordan	97
Rockaway	106	Gold Bearer	94
Hanswurst	106	Hand Mash	94
Mint Sauce	103	Number Eleven	91
Quinn Brady	98		

Seventh race—5½ furlongs:

Eyox	112	America II	105
Kara	110	Mirnehaha	105
Margaret Angela	110	Red Ruby	102
Frenchies First	110	Principa	100
Heart of Hyacinth	110	Set Smile	100
Roseboro	107	Woggle Bug	100
Telepathy	105	Bertha E	105

WINS POTOMAC HANDICAP.

Dr. Gardner Easily Passes Fireball and Comes Home First in a Canter.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 2.—Dr. Gardner today won the Potomac handicap at Oakland. He raced out with Fireball, easily passed him and had no trouble winning in a canter. The longest shot in the race, Ethel Barrymore, was third. Weather cloudy; track fast. Summaries:

First race, 1 mile—Tom Roberts, 105, Robinson, 13 to 20, won; Frolic, 110, Wright, 10 to 1, second; Swagger, 107, J. Kelly, 30 to 1, third. Time, 1:42⅕. Salinda, Aidon, Sicyon, Mildred, May Thorne, Jake Moose, My Pal and Timesake also ran.

Second race, 1 mile and 100 yards—Watercure, 109, Fountain, 4 to 1, won; Maj. Tenny, 113, Travers, 8 to 1, second; Dr. Shorb, 109, F. Sullivan, 100 to 1, third. Time, 1:47. Flaunt, Crigh, San Remo, Mocorito, Kindler, Isabellita and Bogus Bill also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—E. M. Brattain, 107, E. Walsh, 13 to 5, won; Classis, 106, Robinson, 7 to 1, second; The Roustabout, 106, Rice, 13 to 1, third. Time, 1:01½. Edinborough, Soundly, Baildor, Oleima, Full Sway, Bath Beach, Estelle J., Petronius, Jr., also ran.

Fourth race, 5 furlongs—Dr. Gardner, 109, L. Williams, 7 to 5, won; Fireball, 116, E. Walsh, 11 to 5, second; Ethel Barrymore, 81, Brussell, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:00. Ruby and I'm Joe also ran.

Fifth race, six furlongs—Pal, 109, Knapp, 7 to 10, won; Sentaray, 107, E. Walsh, 20 to 1, second; Boloman, 109, Fountain, 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:14. Sir Caruthers, Royal Colors, Dangerous Girl, Mooropus and Wheatstone also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—Beau Ormonde, 114, T. Sullivan, 4 to 1, won; Conreid, 109, E. Walsh, 11 to 20, second; W. B. Gates, 111, Knapp, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:41. Corrigan, Albert Enright and Sheriff Williams also ran.

OAKLAND ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—½ mile:

Kogo	106	Jack Atkins	112
Pimpkin	102	Tawasentha	113
Sam McGibben	109	Grace G	113

Second race—futurity course:

Isolation	93	Lord Nelson	84
Realistic	97	Golden Sunrise	110
Forerunner	106	Raibert	100
Montanus	84	Chief Wittman	93
Mimo	107	Lilly Goulding	103
Sterling Towers	99	Elrodun	103

Third race—1¼ miles:

Phaon	106	Expedient	103
Invictus	106	Royalty	109
Elie	103	Byronerdale	109
W. R. Gates	103	Ninespot	104

Fourth race—1 1-16 miles, California Oaks, $2,000 added:

Silver Wedding	112	Avonalia	112
Tenordale	112	*Queen Rec	112
La Chata	112	Saintola	105
Lacene	112		

*Clifford entry.

Fifth race—1 mile:

Pronta	103	Massa	104
Wexford	94	Melodious	102
The Lieutenant	100	Theo Case	85
Redlight	92	Gay Davis	85

Sixth race—1 mile:

Crazialio	111	Princess Titania	104
Deutschland	111	Bob Ragon	101
Toupee	104	Dorado	94
Sir Brillar	102		

ALONZA AND LADY KING.

Both Horses Win at Odds of 10 to 1 at Los Angeles.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 2.—Large fields were the rule at Ascot today and four favorites won. Alonza and Lady King, both at 10 to 1, won the other two races. The best race of the day was the third, in which Sad Sam, Tim Hurst and Golden Buck finished heads apart in the order named. A bad start marred the fourth, Blissful being left and Embarrassment almost left. Weather fine; track fast. Summaries:

First race, half mile—Alonza, 97, Preston, 10 to 1, first; Wapnagootis, 105, Aubuchon, 12 to 1, second; Game Bird, 97, Scoville, 8 to 1, third. Time, :49. Dr. Crook, Capt. Jarrell, Nerska, Mrs. Matthews, Royal Ascot and The Yellow Top also ran.

Second race, 1 mile—Nath Woodcock, 107, Kent, 3 to 1, first; Tangible, 103, Aubuchon, 5 to 1, second; Myrtle H., 105, Harris, 20 to 1, third. Time, 1:42⅘. Gobdolus, La Taranta, Rostoff, Sue Chester, Bessie Welfly, Kinsman, Ulloa, Wasson, James J. Corbett, Discus and Winnie Adams also ran.

Third race, 6 furlongs—Sad Sam, 107, J. Powell, 3 to 1, first; Tim Hurst, 107, Miller, 7 to 1, second; Golden Buck, 104, B. Powell, 8 to 2, third. Time, 1:14. Hillona, Peggy O'Neill, The Major, My Surprise and Tam O'Shanter also ran.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—Cholk Hedrick, 101, Aubuchon, 17 to 10, first; Havland, 108, Miller, 9 to 5, second; Sais, 104, Carroll, 25 to 1, third. Time, 1:47⅘. Embarrassment and Blissful also ran.

Fifth race, futurity course—Lady King, 95, Preston, 10 to 1, first; Foxhall, 110, Bullman, 5 to 2, second; Search Me, 102, McDaniel, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:10⅘. Mazonia, Pinta, Bauble, Red Tape, Creston Boy, Wrenne, Paul I. and Koongrok also ran.

Sixth race, 1 mile—El Chihua, 107, Miller, 7 to 1, first; Durbar, 106, Jackson, 7 to 1, second; Patsy Brown, 107, Moriarity, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:42. Retador, Cheripe, St. Winnifrede, Exapo, Viona, Pyrrho, Freesias, Courant, Red Damsel and Mi Reina also ran.

ASCOT ENTRIES SATURDAY.

First race—½ miles:

Native Son	112	Horace E	105
Deerdon	110	Edwin T. Fryer	103
Arcadia Belle	107	Lady Alcee	102
Commida	107	Josie S	100
Donna Anna	107	Queen of Knight	100
King of Spade	107	Sinola II	100

Second race—Brooks course:

Miss Betty	103	Lanark	98
Ding Dong II	103	Huanala	98
Woodwink	100	Probs	98
Preservator	96	Josie Wheeler	98
Brigand	98	Golden Green	93
Mr. Farnum	98		

Third race—futurity course:

Masedo	111	Money Muss	105
Don Donno	108	Mistys Pride	103
Felipe Lugo	108	Cicely	95
Dr. Hollis	107	Lady Walker	95

Fourth race—the Ascot handicap, 1¼ miles:

Dr. Leggo	124	Banker	107
Eugenia Burch	122	Marshal Ney	100
Wire In	111	Hippocrates	96
Borghesi	108	W. H. Carey	95

Fifth race—1 1-16 miles, handicap:

Cutter	110	Chimney Sweep	98
Vino	106	Orliens	97
Good Luck	105	Ely Otros	97
The Gaddy	105	Ramus	90

Sixth race—7 furlongs:

Confessor	111	Ninnasquaw	101
Requiter	106	Bologna	100
Michael Byrnes	107	Stoessel	98
Ralph Reese	102	Revolt	98
The Borgial	102	Marpessa	90
Peter J	103	Rubinon	87
Susie Christian	101	Elizabeth F	87

FOOTBALL KNOCKED AGAIN.

President Eliot of Harvard Says It Is Worse Than Bull Fighting.

CAMBRIDGE, MASS., Feb. 2.—The American game of football as now played is wholly unfit for college and schools according to an opinion expressed by President Charles W. Eliot of Harvard university in his annual report to the board of overseers of the university, which was made public today. He declares that as a spectacle for persons who know the game football is more brutalizing than prize fighting, cock fighting or bull fighting. And for the contestants he believes the rules governing football to be far less humane that the rules which govern the prize ring. He adds that it is childish to suppose that the athletic authorities which have permitted football to become a brutal, cheating, demoralizing game can be trusted to reform it. The report declares that the game has reached a point where it sets up a wrong kind of hero; that there is no such thing as generosity between combatants any more than in war; and that all the evils of football have descended into the secondary schools where they are working great moral mischief.

Bowman is Signed.

UNIONTOWN, PA., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Herbert Bowman, formerly on the Yale nine, has been engaged to captain the Uniontown team of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia league. He will also play first base. Bowman is now instructor in the Hill school, at Pottstown, Pa.

Zeigler and Flynn Are Matched.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—Owen Zeigler today signed articles to meet Cy Flynn at Buffalo on next Monday. It will be a 15-round go.

"BIG STICK" IS NOT HANGING OVER CONGRESS

President Roosevelt Delivers No Ultimatum to the House or Senate.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—President Roosevelt is not trying to dictate to the congress what it shall do or not do regarding railroad rate regulation or any other problem of legislation. He has not delivered to the senate or to the house any sort of an "ultimatum" on subjects of legislation and has not held over the heads of congress the "threat of an extraordinary session" if he does not obtain the legislation for which he is hoping.

This statement is made by authority; also that suggestions of a compromise of any sort on rate regulation which do not embody the substance of the President's message on the subject have not appealed to the President. It can also be said that he doubtless would refuse to accept a compromise which would affect any essential feature of the proposed legislation. What is known as the Hepburn bill, now under discussion by the house, embodies substantially the President's views as set forth in his last annual message. In the early days of the present session he thought the measure proposed by the interstate commerce commission was the most practicable offered, but after mature consideration it seemed to him that the Hepburn bill was the better.

Members of the senate committee on interstate commerce have assured the President that either the Hepburn bill or a measure resembling it in essential features will be reported to the senate. The report of the senate committee will not be unanimous, but it will represent the views of a majority of the members. The report will be supported, it is expected, by Senators Culloom, Dolliver and Clapp, and possibly by other Republicans, and by the Democratic members of the committee.

TO DEDICATE NEW CHURCH.

St. Phillip's Catholic Congregation Will Open Edifice With Appropriate Services.

St. Philip's Roman Catholic church of Crafton will be dedicated tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Bishop Canevin will officiate and preach the sermon, and the celebrant of the mass will be the Rev. Father P. F. Griffin of St. Mary's of Mount church. A number of prominent priests of the diocese will assist in the services. The church is of gothic architecture and one of the handsomest in the diocese. It is largely due to the zeal and energy of the Rev. William G. Kelty, rector of St. Philip's, that it has been built. The congregation numbers about 1,000 persons, and is one of the oldest Catholic congregations in Allegheny county.

EXPLOSIONS ON BOAT LOADED WITH DYNAMITE

Fire on a Craft in the Harlem River Causes a Panic at a Dance in a Casino Near By.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 3.—Shortly before 2 o'clock this morning, the United States lighter Hudson, having on board about 500 pounds of dynamite and which was anchored on the Manhattan side of the Harlem river, almost under the Central bridge, took fire. Soon after the fire started two explosions occurred on board. They were slight, however, and apparently did not affect the main cargo.

An alarm was sent in and several fire engines and two fireboats responded. The lighter was anchored directly in the rear of the Manhattan Casino, which was crowded this morning with men and women attending a ball.

When the explosions occurred there was a panic in the place. Police reserves were called and finally managed to restore order in the casino, after which they drove the crowds back from the water front and out of danger from an explosion. The fire was not under control at 2:20 a. m.

Railroad Buys Whole Town.

WHEELING, W. VA., Feb. 2.—West Wheeling, opposite here, is to be wiped out by the Pennsylvania Company in extending its double track line down the Ohio river from Wellsville to Bellaire. Deals have been completed for nearly every important property in the town of West Wheeling. Burlington, another town on the Ohio side, has suffered the same fate.

English Airbrake Inventor Dies.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Lord Masham (Samuel Cunliffe-Lister), the patentee of many inventions, including a compressed air-brake for railroads and a wool-combing machine, died this morning at Swinton abbey, Masham, county of York. He was born in 1815 and was created a baron in 1891.

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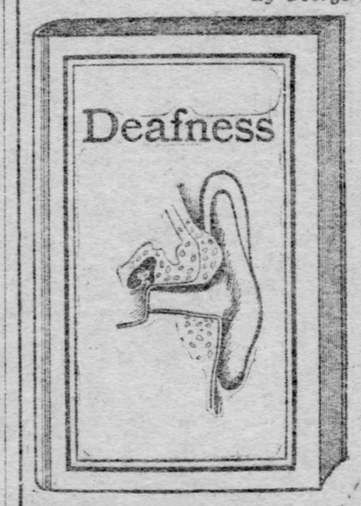
By George H. Wilson



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Suppose you enquired about him, and found that he was one of the most reliable, and respectable, citizens of Louisville, whose word could be absolutely trusted.

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It is not mere book knowledge, but the actual facts tested out by his own hard experience.

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It is truly invigorating to "do" Colorado's Wonder Spots at this season.

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These are by way of the most attractive route, too,—the

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	From Chicago	From St. Louis
Every day to May 31st, Round Trip Winter Tourist Rates	$47.20	$39.20
Feb. 6th and 20th—21-day Round Trip Tickets	27.35	23.90
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Children's Wool Dresses of cheviots, mohairs, novelty mixtures and plaids.
$2.50.
Formerly $5.50.

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Sizes 6 to 10 years.
$3.50.
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"Peter Thompson" Suits of serge and mohair. Colors, black, brown, gray and checks.

$ 3.50	Formerly	$ 7.50
$ 5.00	"	$10.50
$ 7.50	"	$15.50
$10.00	"	$18.00
$15.00	"	$25.00

Misses' Raincoats.
Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years.

$ 3.00	Formerly	$ 5.00
$ 5.00	"	$10.00
$ 7.50	"	$15.00
$10.00	"	$20.00

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Sizes 6 to 10 years.

$ 2.50	Formerly	$ 5.00 and $ 6.00
$ 3.50	"	$7.50
$ 5.00	"	$10.00 and $12.00
$10.00	"	$20.00 and $25.00

McCreery and Company,
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One Hundred Dozen Negligee Shirts of English Oxfords in plain colors and white, and fancy stripes, checks and figures. Coat models. Cuffs attached. Neck measure 13 1-2 to 17 1-2 inches, Sleeve measure 34 to 36 inches.
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Notable Reductions.
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$10.00	Formerly	$15.00, $16.50 and $18.00
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$25.00	Formerly	$35.00

Men's Regulation Overcoats. Black and Oxford.
Broken Lines.

$12.00	Formerly	$15.00
$13.50	Formerly	$18.00
$15.00	Formerly	$20.00 and $22.00
$18.50	Formerly	$25.00, $28.00 and $30.00

Men's Surtout Overcoats. Black and Oxford.

$18.50	Formerly $25.00
$28.00	Formerly $35.00
$30.00	Formerly $40.00
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$40.00	Formerly $50.00
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OFFICIAL.—ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

OFFICE OF CONTROLLER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 22, 1906.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, Tuesday, February 6, 1906, for printing and binding
237,835 official ballots,
23,784 official reserve ballots,
84,459 specimen ballots,
8,446 specimen reserve ballots,
to be used at the spring election to be held Tuesday, February 20, 1906. Specifications and any further information may be had at the county commissioners' office. All bids to be accompanied by bond in the amount of bid. Successful bidder to give bond in double the amount of the bid. Bids to be addressed to the county commissioners, marked "Proposals for Printing Ballots." Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

F. P. BOOTH,
County Controller.

TEN HOUSES ARE SOLD FOR $45,000

Thomas Watts Buys the F. R. Babcock Properties in Upland Street.

GOOD LEASE IN PARK BUILDING

The best deal for residence property in the Twenty-first ward announced for some time was the sale yesterday through the office of John A. Sharp of 10 houses belonging to Fred R. Babcock of the Babcock Lumber Company, for $45,000 to Thomas Watts. Mr. Babcock built the houses in 1903. They are brick dwellings of eight rooms each, well finished. The lots are 2x410 feet each, considerably deeper than most of the Belmar place lots. The houses are rented for $35 a month each and will be sold by the new owner on easy payments through Mr. Sharp's office.

Attorney Abraham Simons has bought 25 feet of frontage on the east side of Fulton street, near Center avenue, for $2,500, or $100 a foot. An old house is the only improvement. The deal is credited to the Real Estate Trust Company.

It develops that Charles Donnelly is the buyer of the B. Oppenheimer property at Ferry street and Third avenue, which was sold a few weeks ago through the Samuel W. Black Company for $20,000. The deal is likely to result in the erection of a modern warehouse in April, when all the present leases expire.

Dealing for Sterrett Lot.

Rumors have been current for two weeks that the J. F. Sterrett property on the north side of Penn avenue, near Stanton street, East Liberty, was about to be sold and that the site might be improved with a hotel. An offer of $86,666 was made last week for the plot, but was promptly declined, as the owners are holding out for at least $100,000. It was reported yesterday that a sale had been effected but this was denied by one of the owners last night, who said two deals were pending for the property and that it was very probable it might be secured for a hotel site. The plot has a frontage of 94 feet and a depth of 192 feet, with a width in the rear of 78 feet. It abuts the East Liberty station property and is one of the largest available plots in the East End lying between the Emory church holdings and the Stanley lot. At the prices recently paid for properties not far away this plot is well worth what is asked for it and it is directly in the path of whatever enhancement in value may accrue from the erection of the new East Liberty station.

The efforts of brokers the last few days to purchase the leases on the buildings on the Joseph Speer property at the north end of the Sixth street bridge in Allegheny, have led to the report that a syndicate is after the lot as the site for a large building. Part of the frontage is occupied by new one-story buildings, two of which are used by bowling alleys and the rest with stores. It is said the tenants have been offered good bonuses for their leases, most of which are not for a long term. The Speer plot is 250x250 feet, extending back to Balkan street, and it occupies all the Federal street frontage on the west side from the bridge to the Mellor holdings.

Jewelry Firm Gets Fine Rooms.

George B. Barrett & Co., wholesale jewelers, have leased the five rooms on the second floor of the Park building facing in Smithfield st. for five years. The offices were formerly occupied by the commercial freight agency of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, but have been vacant for more than a year. They include all the Smithfield street front and one of the second floor and will make an excellent place for a wholesale merchant. The Barrett company has been in the old Chronicle-Telegraph building for years and will move to the Park building April 1.

The Aronson Realty Company has closed the sale for the Mitchell property, 20x110 feet, at 1904 Fifth avenue, for $35,000, the buyer being Israel Cohen of the Iron City Harness Company, who will occupy the three-story brick building as a business place.

James W. Drape & Co. report having placed these mortgages: $18,000 on business property near the Union station at 4.5 per cent; $5,000 on a house in the Fifth ward of Allegheny; $6,000, $5,500, $1,000 and $500 on residence properties in Crafton; $4,000 $3,000 and $2,000 on residences in the East End, all at 6 per cent. The same firm reports having closed an exchange deal of $22,000 for properties near Hamilton avenue and Denny street.

Novel Scheme of Trust Company.

W. C. Washburn of the real estate department of the Home Trust Company was nearly forced to the need of police assistance last night owing to the crush of newsies who attended the first formal charity of the trust company. A mob of paper crazy reached from the Home Trust building nearly across Wood street, and every one of the struggling, yelling crowd was bent on getting one of the handsome rubber shoulder capes that were being distributed. More than 300 capes were given to the boys and on the back of each was painted the novel advertisement: "Deposit with Home Trust Company for Rainy Day."

Seven property owners near Frankstown and Homewood avenues have submitted terms to E. M. Morris, assistant superintendent of the salary and allowance division in the district of the postal service, to locate their holdings for the site of the proposed Homewood postoffice. The proposals will be submitted to the postoffice department at Washington in a few days.

Bair Brothers, brick manufacturers, have bought from Annie D. Hill nine acres of hillside adjoining the old Schenley home tract, near Stanton avenue, Eighteenth ward, for $9,000. An old house is the only improvement and it is possible that the land may be used for a brick yard.

Sales Made by Brokers.

Idlewild street: C. W. Allison sold for Charles F. Vortisch to Zerline Susman, 72 S Idlewild street, Twenty-first ward, for $6,000 cash.

Bellevue: A. Z. Byers & Co. sold for Mrs. Ella A. McWilliams to H. F. McCurdy, 1.5x92 feet, in Orchard avenue Bellevue, for $3,000, as the site for three reception hall houses.

Susquehanna st.: The Homewood Real Estate Company sold for Mary A. Tyson to David Wilson, 37.5x165 feet, on the north side of Susquehanna street, between Muttland avenue and Novelty street, for $3,400.

Hobart street: Coyle Brothers sold to George H. Abel, Jr., 50x150 feet, on the north side of Hobart street, near Murray avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $2,500.

Webster avenue: The Aronson-Friedman Company sold for H. W. Stein and William Cohen to Julius Stein 1848 Webster avenue, a brick house on 18x86 feet, for $4,100.

Mellon street: L. A. Clark & Co. sold to E. Steytler 1122 Mellon street, an 11-room brick house on 50x120 feet, for $7,450.

Allegheny: The John K. Ewing Company sold for Frank Rombach to Frank Ickley 2809 Virginia avenue, near Daisy avenue, Allegheny, an improved lot, 30x115 feet, for $1,025.

Howley avenue: Amand Kluch sold to Adam Ruprecht an improved lot, 23x100 feet on the east side of Howley avenue, sixteenth ward, for $3,180.

Flowers avenue: James L. Nixon sold to James Delves 40x110 feet on the south side of Flowers avenue, near Gertrude street, Twenty-third ward, for $4,000.

South Side: George Hagmaier sold to John Janosak an improved lot, 20x49.5 feet, at the southwest corner of Twenty-fourth street and Larkins alley, Twenty-fifth ward, for $2,800.

Locust street: E. Tepitz sold to Louis Siff an improved lot, 17.70 feet, on the south side of Locust street, near Van Braum street, Sixth ward, for $3,250.

Park avenue: Lucretia Deal sold to Joseph Sacklowsky 92x167 feet in Park avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $3,400.

Winebiddle avenue: Agatha B. Aul sold to Bertha Vowinkel an improved lot, 31x140 feet, on the east side of Winebiddle avenue, near Cypress street, Twentieth ward, for $5,000.

Frankstown avenue: Jacob Schumacher sold to Harry P. Kuhn, Jr., 25x120 feet on the north side of Frankstown avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $3,500.

Lang avenue: J. S. Rumbaugh sold to Jennie K. Purse an improved lot, 22x70 feet, on the southeast side of Lang avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $1,200.

The Pittsburgh bureau of building inspection yesterday issued a permit to Elmer Deen to erect a two-story and attic brick-veneered dwelling on Collier street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $1,350.

Transfers Recorded.

Campbell C C to M G Campbell, Oct 17, Ally, 44x128, Sheffield st..... $6,500

Zieker M E to Chas H Loetz, Feb 1, Aspinwall, 75x120, Ninth st..... 4,200

Frazier Jno to Jacob Gold, Jan 11, 17th wd, Pgh, 22x60, Forty-second st..... 2,600

Simon Wm to R Werbelinsky, Dec 28, 7th wd, Pgh, 6 x24, Franklin school lot; also 35th wd, Pgh, 60x100, Albany ave. 5,600

Nowell Gilbert to K Szarzynsky, Jan 9, 7th wd, McKeesport, 25x100, Packer st. 2,400

Poorbaugh J M to D L Heiman, Dec 9, Mifflin twp, 100x132, Davis ave..... 7,500

Same to same, Dec 9, Mifflin twp, 25x 120, Homer ave..... 2,600

Fleming E A to W R Fleming, Dec 1, West Liberty, 50x140, Randall ave..... 5,500

Bauman Wm to O C Bauman, Aug 28, Lest twp, 22x330, Beaver road..... 1,525

Francis H E to Annie R Chambers, Jan 29, Chartiers twp, 50x106, Joseph st; also No unsellied twp, lot No 85, Cresta's plan 1,600

Wesley John to A I Archey, Nov 29, Wilkinsburg, 165x165, Wesley st..... 1,600

Evans Jno Jr to S T Ludwig, Jan 25, Millvale, 22x100, Howard st..... 2,100

Walker Chas to F R Feistrup, Jan 30, 7th wd, McKeesport, 50x110, Huey st. 4,500

Shaffer H L to Samuel Levy, Dec 27, 13th wd, Pgh, 46x75, Bedford ave..... 8,400

Wilson E A to J E Bascourt, Jan 20, East Deer twp, 25x200, Bellview st. 1,450

Abercrombie J Q A to L Eglisdorf, Nov 16, Monroeth Borough, 22x120, Paul ave. 1,650

McCann & Co., 412-416 Market street—souvenir opening today. Butter, eggs, cheese, dressed poultry, etc. Best—and at less.

REVOLVERS AND RED PEPPER AS WEAPONS

Defenders of Church Property in Paris Become Desperate. Edifice Flooded.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PARIS, Feb. 2.—As a result of today's rioting, though the inventory was taken in but one church, that of St. Pierre Groscaillou, over 50 persons were seriously injured and a considerable number slightly hurt. The latter included a number of police and firemen who were almost blinded with cayenne pepper. Fifty arrests were made.

The storming of the building was protracted owing to the use by the "defenders" of red pepper. The police and firemen succeeded in entering the church by employing chairs as shields. The first two who got through the doors were knocked unconscious.

Prefect Lepine thrice summoned the congregation to open the inside gates, and when the people refused firemen were ordered to force an entrance, using their hatchets. As they mounted ladders in order to break in the windows revolver shots rang out and the firemen retired. After a fire engine arrived and amid a shower of missiles the firemen scrambled up to the roof with a hose, the water was turned on and the interior of the building was flooded.

In the meantime the doors had been battered down, but the municipal guard is found barricades inside and met with fierce resistance.

Prefect Lepine and other high officials and the newspapers deprecate the violent incidents. The militant Catholics are firmly resolved to resist what they term the spoliation of the many Paris churches, containing many millions of francs' worth of jewelry, military medals and decorations.

The order that the inventory of the churches should be carried out before the regulations under the separation law are definitely drawn up leaves the Catholics uncertain regarding the eventual fate of church property. The authorities are determined that the law shall take its course and the disorders suppressed with the utmost vigor.

Twenty-two hundred inventories already have been made, many without incident, but Paris contains 69 Roman Catholic churches, of which but half have been visited. Proceedings will continue tomorrow and in order to prevent a renewal of the disturbances the authorities have kept secret the hour at which the commissioners will visit the churches.

Mr. Mansfield's Support.

A New York telegram says: "Arthur Forrest has abandoned his starring tour under the management of F. C. Whitney and left for Pittsburgh today to join Richard Mansfield, in whose company he will share leading roles with A. G. Andrews, Leslie Kenyon, Fuller Mellish, Sheridan Block and Clarence Handyside. This makes Mr. Mansfield's support one of the strongest that has ever surrounded a great star."

New Pennsylvania Mining Concern.

DOVER, DEL., Feb. 2.—(Special.)—A certificate of incorporation was filed here today for the La Luz Consolidated Mining Company of Reno, Pa., to acquire mines and mining rights and to develop the same. Incorporators: C. V. Culver, Reno, Pa.; John M. Carswell, Wilmington; James P. Ratledge, Newark, Del. Capital stock, $500,000.

Less Than A Cent a Mile

Poor people can travel for that in Germany with not much comfort but with far more safety than travelers enjoy in America.

The government owns the railroads and runs them honestly. The moderate profit (5 or 6 per cent) goes to reduce taxes.

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Everybody's Magazine

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WANTED.

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DRAUGHTSMAN to ink finished pencilled land maps, straight line work and to letter them. Apply Room 721, Union Station building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

DRAFTSMEN, mechanical, with experience on rolling mill work, $75-$150. Engineering Agency, 703 Diamond bank bldg.

DRILL PRESS HAND—Experienced man at once. 963 Lewis block.

DRUG clerk, with 2 or 3 years' experience, for store in country town, 50 miles from Pittsburgh; must be able to furnish satisfactory references as to character, etc. Address T 79, The Gazette.

ERECTING ENGINEER; must read blue prints.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth ave.

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FOREMAN—Who is well up in laying out sheet metal for tank work; must be experienced; are willing to pay good prices for experienced man who can read blue prints. Call, write Hapgoods, 705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

FOREMAN for bridge erection and structural work; must be experienced; salary $1,500. Call, write Hapgoods, 705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

GOOD blacksmith, $3 50 daily; 5 tinners, inside work, $4. 118 Ninth st.

GRINDERS (2) at once.
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HANDYMAN; $12 to $15 a week.
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HELPER on wagon, $10 weekly; warehouse man, $12. 118 Ninth st.

INSPECTOR for special telephone work.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth ave.

ITALIAN wanted; must be able to read and write English thoroughly and give first-class references; steady employment; answer in own handwriting, stating age. B 98, The Gazette.

LABEL WRITER—For making druggists' glass labels. Apply Philadelphia P. O., box 1638.

LATHE HANDS; also handyman around machine shop. M. & M. Agency, 24½ Fifth st.

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MACHINISTS—30c to 40c hour; lathe planer hands. 118 Ninth st.

MACHINISTS (3); good men.
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MAN wanted; experienced man to run cutting machine. Apply or address Reed & Witting, blank book mfgrs., 610 and 612 Wood st.

MEN AND BOYS wanted to earn $5 to $8 a day after completing course of practical instruction at home or in our schools; graduates admitted to union; positions secured. Coyne Bros. Co. Practical Schools Plumbing and Bricklaying, New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis Free catalogue.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED ELEVATOR OPERATOR. ROSENBAUM CO.

ARMATURE WINDERS—
EXPERIENCED ON A. C. OR D. C. WINDING. GOOD RATES. STEADY WORK. NO TROUBLE. APPLY TO THE BULLOCK ELECTRIC MFG. CO., EAST NORWOOD, CINCINNATI, O.

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BILL CLERK—Young man, good personality, good penman, with some knowledge of bookkeeping; salary $600. Call, write Hapgoods, 705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

BILL CLERK, who can operate typewriter; good salary and a good firm.
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CABLE TESTER; city firm.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth ave.

CLERK for billing work; if good penman experience in this line will not be necessary, call or address Commercial Clearing House, 432 Wood st.

CLERKS and inspectors, custom house, $900 to $1,500 annually. Particulars, Superintendent Derr, 802 Empire bldg.

CLERKS for offices.
MERCANTILE, 434 Fourth ave.

COMPOSITOR wanted two-thirder preferred; one who can make up. Apply H. J. Heinz Co., 1062 Main st., Allegheny.

DRAUGHTSMAN—Architectural; we want the best architectural draughtsman in the city of Pittsburgh; college man, for position in architect's office; salary according to man. Call, write Hapgoods, 705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DRAFTSMEN, mechanical, experienced detailers on general mechanical work, $25-$100. Engineering Agency, 703 Diamond bank bldg.

DRAUGHTSMAN—Mechanical; one year's experience; salary $500; exceptionally good chance for advancement. Call, write Hapgoods, 705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DRAFTSMEN, structural, for Ohio, Pennsylvania and West; competent detailers and checkers, $75-$125. Engineering Agency, 703 Diamond bank bldg.

MEN—Wanted, Competent men to operate Bardlee hammers and bulldozers; good wages. American Car and Foundry Co., Huntington, W. Va.

MEN with experience in the electrical supply business; must have reference. Apply 910 Liberty.

PACKER—Furniture experience.
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WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESPEOPLE FOR ALL DEPARTMENTS. ROSENBAUM CO.

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SOLICITOR—Young woman of intelligence and refinement, who has had some selling experience, can obtain good paying position in the presentation of an educational proposition of high merit. Regular salary paid weekly and liberal commission in addition. Address, stating experience and giving references, G 77, The Gazette.

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WANTED.

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$21—7-6 Kirkpatrick st., 6 rooms, bath.
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$12—2128 Sherman st., rear, 3 rooms.
$12—424 Ferry ave., side room.
$20—6823 Frankstown ave., 6 rooms.
$10—131 Fortieth st., 4 rooms.
$10—39 Mahon ave., rear, 3 rooms.
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$10—2437 Stevenson st., Elliott, 5 rooms, bath.
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2,700--Taylor ave., brick of 4 rooms.
2,600--Iten st., frame of 5 rooms and attic.
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ELECTIONS.

Pittsburgh & Castle Shannon Railroad Co.,
Office 59 Carson st., South Side.
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 20, 1906.
ELECTION--The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company will be held at the office, 59 Carson street, South Side, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Tuesday, February 20, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a president and 10 directors, to serve during the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business that may properly come before the meeting.
F. J. LeMOYNE, Secretary.

NOTICE--To the stockholders of Central Masonic Hall association of Pittsburgh, Pa. The annual meeting of the stockholders of Central Masonic Hall association of Pittsburgh, Pa., will be held Monday, February 5, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., at which time a board of nine directors will be elected to serve until the first Monday in February, 1907, and such other business transacted as may come before the meeting. A. K. Henderson, secretary, Lock Box 168, East Liberty station, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Office of the Pittsburgh Insurance Company,
Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 25, 1906.
ELECTION--The annual election for directors of this company to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company, Nos. 209 and 211 Fourth avenue, on Tuesday, February 6, 1906, between the hours of 11 o'clock a. m. and 1 o'clock p. m.
R. J. McKNIGHT, Secretary.

MEETINGS.

Office of National Fire Proofing Company.
NOTICE is hereby given that pursuant to a resolution duly passed at a meeting of the board of directors of the National Fire Proofing Company, held on the 2nd day of February, 1906, a special meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the general office of the company, in the Bessemer building, on the corner of Sixth street and Duquesne way, in the city of Pittsburgh and state of Pennsylvania, on Thursday, the fifth (5th) day of April, 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, to take action on approval or disapproval of a proposed increase in the indebtedness of the company from nothing to $2,500,000.
C. G. JONES, Secretary.

AUCTION SALES.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 8th, at 3:30 P. M.

9 shares National Cast Steel Co. preferred.
9 shares National Cast Steel Co. common.
JOHN D. BAILEY, Auctioneer.

LOST.

LOST--Two silver picture frames on Tuesday morning, between Wood and Market sts. Liberal reward if returned to J. C. Grogan, Jeweler, Fifth ave. and Market st.

LOST--In the vicinity of Idlewood, white bull terrier dog, weighing about 20 pounds; reward, $10. John S. Detweiler, Idlewood, Pa., or care Joseph Horne Co.

LOST--On Sixth st. or on Western ave. cars, gentlemen's open face Elgin watch and silk gold buckle fob. Reward for return to 208 Smith block.

LOST--Dog, color yellow, part pug, answers name Bouncle; small lump on side; good reward paid. 5709 Callowhill, corner St. Clair.

PROPOSALS.

UNITED STATES Engineer Office, Pittsburgh, Pa., Feb. 2, 1906. Sealed proposals for building a wooden hull towboat will be received here until 12 m., Feb. 17, 1906, then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. Wm. L. Sibert, Maj., Engrs.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Presbyterian.

WESTMINSTER, Buena Vista street, below Taylor avenue, Allegheny, T. Ross Paiden, pastor--10:45, the Rev. W. A. Rouiston will occupy pulpit, subject of discourse: "The Baptism of the Holy Ghost;" 7:45, the Rev. Charles McCrea will preach.

HIGHLAND, Highland Wellesley avenues, C. P. Cheseman, pastor--11:00, "Jesus Christ, the Same Yesterday, Today and Forever;" 7:45, "The Creation." The choir will render special music from "The Oratorio of the Creation" by Haydn.

FIRST, Sixth avenue, near Wood street, Maitland Alexander, D. D., pastor--10:45, "Communion;" 4:00, "Facing the Jerusalem of Life;" 7:45, "The Value of Weapons Taken in Conquest."

WATSON MEMORIAL, Perrysville and Riverview avenues, Allegheny, John W. McIver, pastor--11:00, "The Sacrifice of Christ;" 7:45, "The Folly and Danger of Indecision."

SECOND, Eighth street, below Penn avenue, S. Edward Young, D. D., pastor--10:30, "Judas Iscariot." 7:30, "What Are the Vices of Our Two Cities and Who Are Responsible?"

EAST LIBERTY, Penn and Highland aves., Frank W. Sneed, D. D., pastor--11, "Giving;" 7:45, "The Wicked Walk on Every Side When the Vilest Men Are Exalted."

BELLEFIELD, Fifth and Bellefield avenues, Daniel Russell, pastor--11:00, usual service; 8:00, "Young Men," the first of a series of four sermons to young men.

SHADYSIDE, Amberson avenue, near Fifth, J. Kinsey Smith, D. D., pastor--11:00, "The Divine Imperative in Human Life;" 7:45, "The Story of Balaam."

FOURTH, Evaline st., near Liberty ave., East End, Samuel Callen, D. D., pastor--10:45, "The Front of Godliness;" 7:45, "Modern Knighthood."

NORTH, Lincoln avenue, Allegheny, H. D. Lindsay, D. D., pastor--11:00, "A Necessary Evil in God's World;" 7:45, "The Courage of Faith."

SIXTH, Forbes and Murray sts., J. Shane Nicholls, D. D. pastor--11, "The Only Kind of Man That Is Safe;" 7:45, "A Model Mayor."

LAWRENCEVILLE, Thirty-ninth street, A. E. Linn, D. D., pastor--11:00, "The Growth of Faith;" 7:45, "Enduring Unto the End."

FORTY-THIRD STREET, U. S. Greves, pastor--11:00, "A Ransom for Many;" 7:45, Quarter-Centennial of Christian Endeavor.

M'CANDLESS AVENUE, Daniel H. McKee, pastor--10:30, "The Touch of Christ;" 7:30, "Joshua and the Walls of Jericho."

THIRD, Fifth and South Negley aves., William I. McEwan, D. D., pastor--11, "A Broad Religion;" 8, "Obedient Faith."

FIRST, Arch street, Allegheny, D. S. Kennedy, D. D., pastor--10:45, "He Came From God;" 7:45, "False Excuses."

M'CLURE AVENUE, Allegheny, S. J. Glass, D. D., pastor--11, "The Christian Citizen;" 7:45, "Sins of Omission."

EAST END, Waverly and Peebles streets, A. R. VanFossen, pastor--Usual services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

United Presbyterian.

SECOND, North Negley avenue, S. W. McKelvey, pastor--11:00, "The Moral Necessity Required in the Divine Quality of Righteousness;" 7:45, "How a City of Sin Stirred a Man of God."

SIXTH, North Highland avenue, East End, R. M. Russell, D. D., pastor--11:00, the Rev. J. Campbell White will preach subject, "The Three Fold Law of the True Life;" 7:45, "How to Live."

LINCOLN AVENUE, Lincoln and Shetland aves., W. A. Phillips, pastor--11, "The Need of Personal Work;" 7:45, sermon by the Rev. H. A. Phillips, subject, "Man's Wrath vs. God's Mercy."

SHADYSIDE, Center avenue and Cypress street, J. K. McClurkin, D. D., pastor--11:00, "The Melody of an Old Song;" 7:45, the Rev. J. W. Springer will preach.

FIRST, Fifth ave., Oakland, Wm. J. Reid, pastor--10:30, communicants' prayer meeting; 11, "The Revelation at the Table;" 4, "Gathering Up the Fragments."

M'KEESPORT, Atlantic ave., James E. Walker, pastor--3 p. m., "Apprehended by the lord;" 7:30, "The Blessings That Come from Jesus."

THIRD, Diamond st., J. T. McCrory, pastor--10:45, "The Kind of Men for Efficient Service;" 7:45, "A Great Discovery and How It Was Made."

SECOND, Allegheny, W. H. McMillan, D. D., pastor--11:00, "The Faith That Saves;" 7:30, "The Queen of the South."

FOURTH, Allegheny, Thomas Park, D. D., pastor--11:00, "The Problem of Today;" 7:45, "Personal Responsibility."

Reformed Presbyterian.

FIRST, Euclid avenue and Baum street, Thomas Watters, D. D., pastor--11, "The Better Thing;" 2, "Bible School."

EIGHTH STREET, D. McAllister, pastor--10:30--"Followers of God as Dear Children;" 3, "Catching Men."

Christian.

CENTRAL, Pride street, near Fifth avenue, C. L. Thurgood, pastor--10:30, "Can Wealth be Compatinable With Worship and Poverty;" 7:45, "The Boy and His Temptations."

FOURTH, Sylvania st. and Estella ave., J. F. Futcher, pastor--10:30, "Our Faith Stands Not in the Wisdom of Men;" 7:30, "Called from Joppa to Caesarea."

FIRST, South ave. and Wood st., Wilkinsburg, L. N. D. Wells, pastor--11, "Christ's First Temptation;" 7:45, "The Immediate Fruits of Godly Sorrow."

BELMAR, Race and Sterrett sts., E. E. Manley, pastor--11, "The Why, How and What of Offering to the Lord;" 7:45, "Hearts Hardened."

OBSERVATORY HILL, Allegheny, John A. Jayne, pastor--10:45, "Over and Under the Other;" 8, Miss Elsie Taylor will preach.

BRADDOCK, O. H. Phillips, pastor, 11:00, "Working Out One's Salvation;" 7:45, "Some Calamities That Cannot be Escaped."

FIRST, Elwood City, Ferd F. Schultz, pastor--10:45, "The Ten Days' Prayer Meeting;" 7:45, "An Intelligent Heathen."

HERRON HILL, J. D. Dabury, pastor--10:45, "The Model Young Man;" 7:45, "The Second Chapter in the Life of Christ."

BELLEVUE, Lincoln and Preston avenues, Alfred W. Place, pastor--11:00, "Isaiah;" 7:45, Anti-Saloon league service.

M'KEES ROCKS, S. E. Brewster, pastor--10:45, "Prayer, Its Effectiveness;" 7:45, "The Science of Christianity."

CRAFTON, Walter S. Rounds, pastor--11:00, "State Missions;" 7:45, "Expository Sermon From Philippians."

SHADY AVENUE, Grant E. Pike, pastor--10:45, "Exchange;" 7:45, "Daniel's Brothers in Pittsburgh."

Methodist Episcopal.

NORTH AVENUE, North avenue and Arch street, Allegheny, Charles W. Blodgett, pastor--10:30, "The Law of Forgiveness;" 7:45, "Reserve Force--Prelude, Capital Punishment--Does the Word of God Teach It?"

EMORY, Highland ave. and Broad st., W. R. Wedderspoon, D. D., pastor--11, sermon by the Rev. Dr. Meacham, presiding elder; 7:45, "Living Stones in God's Temple--William McKinley."

EMORY, Highland avenue and Broad street, W. R. Wedderspoon, D. D., pastor--11:00, "Brave Deeds;" 7:45, "Living Stones in Christ's Temple--William McKinley."

MARY S. BROWN MEMORIAL, Beechwood boulevard and Hazelwood avenue, C. V. Wilson, D. D., pastor--10:30, "The Still Small Voice;" 7:30, "Steps Unto Heaven."

CALVARY, Allegheny and Beach streets, Allegheny, James M. Thoburn, Jr., D. D., pastor--9:30, love feast; 10:30, communion; 7:45, "The Greatest Trust."

SIMPSON, Liberty, near Chestnut street, Allegheny, Howard E. Lloyd, pastor--10:45, "A Tested Religion;" 7:30, evangelistic service, "The Manly Art."

CENTENARY, J. H. Deniston, pastor--11:00, "Home Sins, No. 2--Amusement Sins;" 7:30, "The Breadth of the Gospel of Salvation."

OAKLAND, Forbes and Boquet streets, J. W. G. Fast, pastor--10:45, "The Fruits of Justification;" 7:45, "Christian Fellowship."

HERRON HILL, Herron and Anderson aves., James E. Williams, pastor--10:45, "Something Lasting;" 7:45, "Man's Gift to God."

BUENA VISTA STREET, W. R. Moore, pastor--10:30, "The Road to Rest;" 7:45, revival services, "A Business Question."

SMITHFIELD STREET, W. H. W. Rees, pastor--11:00, "A Good Grip;" 8:00, "Occupying the Home."

WEST END, David Flanigan, pastor--the Rev. W. G. Potter will preach at 10:30 and 7:30.

Protestant Episcopal.

TRINITY, Sixth avenue, A. W. Arundel, D. D., rector--, communion in new chapel; 10:45, morning prayer and communion, subject of sermon, "Making Up for the Failure of Other People;" 7:30, evening prayer, choral and sermon.

CHRIST, Union avenue, Allegheny, Robert Meech, D. D., rector--8:30, holy communion; 10:30, morning prayer, communion and sermon; 7:45, evening prayer and address by the Rev. E. H. Young.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES TOMORROW.

Reformed.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, Termon avenue, Allegheny, Albert C. Dieffenbach, pastor--11 a. m., "The Doctrine of Forsaking All: Is It Sane?" 7:45 p. m., "The Church and Her Duty to the Community."

ST. LUKE'S, Fourth street and Camp avenue, Braddock, John J. Leberman, D. D., pastor--11 a. m., "Again Another Scripture Saith." 7:30 p. m., "The Devil, the Adversary and Enemy of Man."

ST. MARK'S MEMORIAL, North Highland avenue and Harvard streets, John H. Dietrich, pastor--11 a. m., "The Way to God;" 7:45 p. m., "Salvation; Individual or Social?"

FIRST, McKeesport, J. A. Maxwell, pastor--10:30, "The Second Coming of Christ;" 7:30, "Only One Step from the Kingdom."

OAKLAND, A. R. Stark, pastor--10:45, "Two Objects of Prayer;" 7:45, "The Link Which Connects Man With God."

UNION, Nineteenth st., below Carson, A. A. Nellis, pastor--Communion services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

HOMEWOOD, George W. Taft, pastor--11, "Making a Christian;" 7:45, evangelistic services.

Lutheran.

BETHANY, Highland avenue and Kirkwood street, East End, John Weidley, D. D., pastor--11, "The Word of Christ;" 7:45, "Spoiled Through Philosophy."

ST. JOHN'S, Forbes and Jumonville streets, W. H. Fehr, pastor--10:45, "The Vision Before the Work;" 7:30, "The Tares Among the Wheat."

GRACE, Spring Garden avenue, Allegheny, G. I. Lenker, pastor--10:45, usual service; 7:45, sermon by the Rev. Legum.

MT. ZION, Franklin road, Allegheny, T. S. Brown, pastor--10:30, "Our Duty With the Gospel;" 7:45, usual service.

FIRST, Grant street, D. W. Geissinger, D. D., pastor--10:45, chief service and 7:45 vespers.

Unitarian.

SECOND, 823 Sandusky street, Allegheny, Thomas Clayton, pastor--7:45, "The Mission of Jesus;" special music.

FIRST, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, L. Walter Mason, pastor--11, "Perfection."

Christian Science.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, Clyde street, near Fifth avenue, services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m., subject, "Soul."

Miscellaneous.

SECOND CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, Penn and Brushton aves., W. Frank Silveus, D. D., pastor--Morning, "The Witness of the Spirit;" evening, "The Wisdom of This World."

Y. M. C. A., Seventh st. and Penn ave.--4, Col. H. P. Bope will address the young men's meeting, male chorus and Mr. H. R. Swearer will sing; 5 p. m., Bible class, taught by C. A. Edsall.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL PROTESTANT, Smithfield st. and Sixth ave., C. A. Voss, pastor--10:30, "Leading the World to Christ;" 7:30, "Prayer and Its Answer."

FIRST SPIRITUALIST'S OF HOMESTEAD, Dixon's hall, Ann street and Eighth avenue, Mrs. Celia Murtha Clifford, medium--8 p. m., "Planetary Influence."

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS, Boquet street, Mrs. K. Ham, test medium--10:45 and 7:45, practical demonstration of the spiritual philosophy.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL, Dithridge street, near Forbes, B. G. Newton, pastor--11, "The Faith of Future;" 7:45, "The Despised and Rejected."

CHURCH OF GOD, College avenue and Spahr street, J. L. Updegraft, pastor--11, Anti-Saloon League services; 7:45, "The Faithful Rewarded."

FIRST CHURCH OF SPIRITUALISTS, No. 24 West Lacock street, Allegheny, the Rev. George C. Day, speaker--services at 2:45 and 7:45 p. m.

WELSH PRESBYTERIAN, McDevitt place--10:30, usual service; 7:30, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper (the Rev. Dr. Emil Lewey will preach).

UNIVERSALIST, 522 Federal street, Allegheny, George B. Stocking, D. D., pastor--10:30, "Fellow Laborers With God."

ST. PAUL'S MISSION, 695 Wilmot street, L. J. Ward, superintendent--2:30, Sunday school; 7:45, services.

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Condition of National Banks at Close of Business January 29, 1906

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FORT PITT NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,556,951 26
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		818 27
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		21,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		35,270 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		263,020 68
Other real estate owned		4,620 72
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		122,924 19
Due from state banks and bankers		62,168 53
Due from approved reserve agents		114,350 76
Checks and other cash items		18,490 49
Exchanges for clearing house		113,084 87
Bills of other national banks		14,398 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		974 08
Lawful money reserve in banks, viz.:		
Specie	$323,495 50	
Legal tender notes	220,000 00	
		543,495 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer other than 5 per cent redemption fund		3,000 00
Total		$5,402,173 89

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		64,367 98
National bank notes outstanding		492,100 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 199,142 47	
Due to state banks and bankers	33,686 49	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	537,146 19	
Dividends unpaid	242 00	
Individual deposits, subject to check	1,758,629 87	
Cashier's checks outstanding	169,879 61	
		2,698,705 63
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed		150,000 00
Total		$5,402,173 89

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Charles S. Lindsay, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS. S. LINDSAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of February, 1906.

I. M. FICKEISEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

GEO. A. MACBETH,
R. S. ROBB,
ANDREW W. HERRON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

METROPOLITAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,199,983 40
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		7,582 92
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		400,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		12,611 52
Bonds, securities, etc		42,100 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		84,729 66
Other real estate owned		15,657 62
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		40,897 70
Due from approved reserve agents		59,859 54
Checks and other cash items		2,827 85
Exchanges for clearing house		5,192 58
Notes of other national banks		2,450 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		426 77
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$64,029 75	
Legal-tender notes	8,000 00	
		72,029 75
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		18,850 00
Total		$1,935,124 31

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 400,000 00
Surplus fund		300,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		62,710 76
National bank notes outstanding		400,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 20,550 23	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	53,832 52	
Dividends unpaid	94 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	695,765 13	
Time certificates of deposit	1,345 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	286 67	
		772,413 55
Total		$1,935,124 31

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Geo. Seebick, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEO. SEEBICK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

J. B. RICHARDS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

HENRY DAUB,
M. C. CAMERON,
C. W. RUNNETTE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,603,027 67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,795 01
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		55,775 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		100,000 00
Other real estate owned		9,788 04
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		268,514 38
Due from approved reserve agents		814,054 69
Checks and other cash items		12,691 40
Exchanges for clearing house		48,656 76
Bills of other national banks		3,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,156 71
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$ 64,500	
Legal-tender notes	220,500	
		285,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$3,755,454 66

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		87,901 07
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 165,231 07	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	237,842 85	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,719,401 47	
Time certificates of deposit	21,035 00	
Certified checks	20,989 40	
Cashier's checks outstanding	163,993 80	
		2,367,553 59
Notes and bills rediscounted		100,000 00
Total		$3,755,454 66

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. H. Patterson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. H. PATTERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

O. S. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WALLACE H. ROWE,
JAMES W. PATTERSON,
ROBERT JENKINS, JR.,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,021,557 96
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,747 85
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		5,937 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		145,000 00
Other real estate owned		1,938 85
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		12,332 61
Due from approved reserve agents		29,618 88
Checks and other cash items		8,395 19
Exchanges for clearing house		38,576 56
Bills of other national banks		10,428 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		169 31
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$129,175 45	
Legal tender notes	13,036 00	
		142,211 45
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$1,573,444 18

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		170,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		35,205 12
National bank notes outstanding		47,200 00
Dividends unpaid	$ 45 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	655,705 16	
Cashier's checks outstanding	188 98	
		655,939 06
Liabilities other than those above stated, purchase money, mortgage on banking house		65,000 00
Total		$1,573,444 18

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. F. Schaefer, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. F. SCHAEFER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WILLIAM S. FLOWER,
WILLIAM R. STOUGHTON,
WILLIAM ZINKHAN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 1,709 28
Due from banks and bankers		51,612 23
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc	$7,867,998 08	
Mortgages	2,125,458 97	
		10,093,457 05
Real estate		424,971 41
Accrued interest on investments		94,321 17
Miscellaneous assets		2,250 48
Total		$10,678,327 61

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 3,000,000 00
Surplus fund		7,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		130,011 61
Dividends unpaid		1,316 00
Reserve for taxes		47,000 00
Total		$10,678,327 61
Amount of trust funds invested		$14,503,305 11
Amount of trust funds uninvested		440,334 55
Total		$14,943,639 66

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, James K. Duff, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES K. DUFF, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

D. B. OAKS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. PAINTER, JR.,
J. D. LYON,
F. C. PERKINS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Bonds, securities, etc		$ 2,144,234 25
Loans and discounts		8,282,279 95
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,705 51
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		1,000,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		200,000 00
Banking house		300,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 548,555 18	
Due from state banks and bankers	31,419 47	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,723,225 31	
		2,303,179 96
Checks and other cash items	$ 73,043 91	
Exchanges for clearing house	333,698 41	
Notes of other national banks	40,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	2,954 54	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	639,469 00	
Legal-tender notes	270,000 00	
		1,359,165 86
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		50,000 00
Total		$15,640,565 63

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		602,662 91
National bank notes outstanding		1,000,000 00
Due to other national banks	$2,128,399 36	
Due to state banks and bankers	606,177 34	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	2,617,852 65	
Dividends unpaid	450 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	5,554,659 60	
Demand certificates of deposit	22,276 00	
Certified checks	1,257 41	
Cashier's checks outstanding	32,330 25	
United States deposits	200,000 00	
United States bond account	875,000 00	
		12,037,902 62
Total		$15,640,565 63

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Hervey Schumacher, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. HERVEY SCHUMACHER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of February, 1906.

ROBT. C. MOORE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ROBT. WARDROP,
W. D. GEORGE,
E. F. JONES, JR.,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 9,729 86
Checks and other cash items		8,119 44
Due from banks and bankers		711,532 32
Collateral loans		4,399,091 46
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc	$3,873,090 10	
Mortgages	3,566,373 84	
		7,439,472 34
Real estate		2,771 16
Overdrafts		34 28
Accrued interest on loans and investments		110,755 38
Total		$12,681,498 44

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		254,648 68
Deposits, subject to check	$ 916,886 42	
Deposits, special	9,109,401 25	
Time certificates of deposits	355,126 92	
Certified checks	2,047 64	
Treasurer's checks outstanding	11,221 32	
		10,294,575 53
Reserve for state tax		7,500 00
Accrued interest on time deposits		124,779 23
Total		$12,681,498 44

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, James K. Duff, Treasurer of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAMES K. DUFF, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, 1st day of February, 1906.

ROBERT C. MOORE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

THOS. WIGHTMAN,
EDWARD E. DUFF,
ROBT. WARDROP,
Trustees.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

THE BANK OF PITTSBURGH, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,

National Bank, at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 9,696,453 57
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		5,773 34
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		2,195,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		20,000 00
Other bonds to secure U. S. deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		96,929 00
Stocks, securities, etc		4,870,453 98
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		550,044 17
Other real estate owned		287,609 67
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 982,892 55	
Due from state banks and bankers	152,210 41	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,591,253 78	
Checks and other cash items	97,815 91	
Exchanges for clearing house	982,297 01	
Bills of other national banks	45,871 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	4,324 56	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	1,652,912 75	
Legal-tender notes	629,731 00	
		6,138,478 07
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		109,750 00
Total		$24,123,492 46

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 2,400,000 00
Surplus fund		2,400,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		292,086 88
National bank notes outstanding		2,068,800 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$5,407,324 57	
Due to state banks and bankers	804,143 13	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	2,237,574 23	
Due to approved reserve agents	379,569 90	
Dividends unpaid	125 50	
Individual deposits subject to check	7,391,557 80	
Time certificates of deposit	23,000 00	
Certified checks	17,850 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	16,557 75	
United States deposits	70,000 00	
		16,916,643 58
Reserved for taxes		17,962 00
Total		$24,123,492 46

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. F. Bickel, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. F. BICKEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

I. M. FICKEISEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. H. PAULL,
WM. ROSEBURG,
JOHN E. MUREORD,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,229,135 98
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		156 43
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		300,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		14,625 00
Stocks, securities, etc		1,625 49
Furniture and fixtures		9,450 94
Other real estate owned		26,248 72
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 31,937 71	
Due from approved reserve agents	293,937 51	
Checks and other cash items	6,649 35	
Exchanges for clearing house	188,548 82	
Bills of other national banks	10,500 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	817 76	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$290,600 00	
Legal-tender notes	100,500 00	
		391,100 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$4,520,031 62

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$600,000 00
Surplus fund		700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		149,855 63
		$1,449,855 63
National bank notes outstanding		296,700 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)		161,499 35
Due to state banks and bankers		143,900 04
Due to trust companies and savings banks		22,942 47
Dividends unpaid		260 25
Individual deposits subject to check		2,355,364 03
Demand certificates of deposit		87,815 14
Cashier's checks outstanding		2,602 73
		2,773,475 99
Total		$4,520,031 62

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. B. McLean, president of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. B. McLEAN, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of February, 1906.

GEORGE I. WHITNEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. H. BEAL,
H. P. DILWORTH,
JAS. H. HUSTON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK, OF ALLEGHENY,

at Allegheny, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,279,747 51
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		7 82
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		4,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc		11,790 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		125,824 72
Due from approved reserve agents	$ 42,152 31	
Checks and other cash items	11,451 84	
Exchanges for clearing house	31,370 82	
Bills of other national banks	2,200 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	201 08	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	16,700 00	
Legal tender notes	56,100 00	
		160,176 05
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$1,687,046 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 350,000 00
Surplus fund		100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		23,287 59
		123,287 59
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Dividends unpaid		36 00
Individual deposits subject to check		1,097,848 44
Demand certificates of deposit		12,133 75
Certified checks		2,801 62
Cashier's checks outstanding		1,139 10
		1,113,722 91
Total		$1,687,046 50

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, J. D. Kramer, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. D. KRAMER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

J. B. ORR, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

F. H. SKELDING,
JOHN THOMPSON,
CHAS. A. PAINTER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FARMERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$17,841,619 23
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		4,547 05
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		800,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		12,968 75
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		4,548,580 63
Other real estate owned		52,325 23
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		321,806 18
Due from state banks and bankers		76,020 10
Due from approved reserve agents		2,759,431 11
Checks and other cash items		181,997 90
Exchanges for clearing house		537,408 99
Notes of other national banks		20,450 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,148 98
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$2,081,732 50	
Legal tender notes	500,000 00	
		2,581,732 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5% of circulation)		40,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		20,000 00
Total		$30,681,949 69

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 800,000 00
Surplus fund		4,100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		3,264,104 87
National bank notes outstanding		732,350 00
Due to other national banks		3,726,761 11
Due to state banks and bankers		432,916 07
Due to trust companies and savings banks		2,624,928 19
Dividends unpaid		394 00
Individual deposits subject to check		14,788,351 65
Cashier's checks outstanding		158,242 80
Total		$30,681,949 69

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. Fleming, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. FLEMING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

T. H. GIVEN,
HAY WALKER, JR.,
HERBERT DU PUY,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 923,847 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		312 93
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		2,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		86,326 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		75,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		22,027 80
Due from approved reserve agents		119,248 78
Checks and other cash items		29,602 05
Notes of other national banks		10,355 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		544 59
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$69,120 00	
Legal-tender notes	47,171 00	
		116,291 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$1,472,646 41

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 250,000 00
Surplus fund		155,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		7,887 12
National bank notes outstanding		98,400 00
Due to state banks and bankers	$ 5,853 79	
Dividends unpaid	60 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	989,426 45	
Certified checks	323 74	
Cashier's checks outstanding	646 30	
		996,309 29
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed		15,000 00
Total		$1,472,646 41

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. F. Bickel, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. F. BICKEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

I. M. FICKEISEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. H. PAULL,
WM. ROSEBURG,
JOHN E. MUREORD,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,480,852 36
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		58 79
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		300,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		17,531 70
Stocks, securities, etc		146,890 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		8,206 13
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$182,394 72	
Due from state banks and bankers	57,391 25	
Due from approved reserve agents	383,797 50	
		623,583 47
Checks and other cash items	4,515 35	
Exchanges for clearing house	37,849 92	
Bills of other national banks	24,650 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	448 47	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$198,858 75	
Legal-tender notes	50,000 00	
		248,858 75
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$2,867,350 07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 300,000 00
Surplus fund		150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		79,167 37
National bank notes outstanding		300,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 128,885 90	
Due to state banks and bankers	23,987 81	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	244,261 33	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,146,411 63	
Demand certificates of deposit	12,690 42	
Certified checks	9,845 78	
Cashier's checks outstanding	72,689 82	
		2,038,782 70
Total		$2,867,350 07

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. McCandless, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. W. BICKEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

C. A. HECKMAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

S. BAILEY, JR.,
JAS. F. KEENAN,
W. G. McCANDLESS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNION NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$7,670,729 33
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,019 21
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		110,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc		999,137 39
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		1,600,347 71
Other real estate owned		3,497 22
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		232,963 42
Due from state banks and bankers		7,143 46
Due from approved reserve agents		595,959 88
Checks and other cash items		5,557 00
Exchanges for clearing house		158,726 23
Notes of other national banks		59,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		770 88
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie, gold, $305,000; silver, $17,910	$322,910 00	
Legal-tender notes	565,777 00	
		888,687 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$12,929,565 71

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 600,000 00
Surplus fund		4,700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		243,166 47
National bank notes outstanding		499,987 50
Due to other national banks	$ 197,490 69	
Due to state banks and bankers	51,685 28	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	384,737 47	
Dividends unpaid	420 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	6,155,173 66	
Certified checks	55,933 31	
Cashier's checks outstanding	20,981 33	
United States deposits	110,000 00	
		6,886,401 74
Total		$12,929,565 71

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, R. S. Smith, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. R. S. SMITH, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1906.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. DARLINGTON,
H. LEE MASON, JR.,
J. D. LYON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BIRMINGHAM,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 789,440 05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		8,075 31
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		910 95
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		40,000 00
Due from approved reserve agents		82,330 75
Notes of other national banks		3,110 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		132 45
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$52,240 00	
Legal-tender notes	7,000 00	
		59,240 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$1,098,239 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund		100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		89,329 91
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Dividends unpaid		92 00
Individual deposits subject to check		698,807 61
Total		$1,088,239 52

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. F. Beech, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. F. BEECH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of February, 1906.

ALBERT G. WALTER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

DANIEL BEECH,
CHARLES FISCHER,
FERDINAND BENZ,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,440,301 27
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		04
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		29,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc		320,435 20
Other real estate and mortgages owned		2,500 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$160,678 15	
Due from state banks and bankers	93,105 45	
Due from approved reserve agents	596,191 18	
		729,974 78
Checks and other cash items	7,344 87	
Exchanges for clearing house	188,535 07	
Notes of other national banks	30,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	778 10	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	250,000 00	
Legal tender notes	285,000 00	
		762,162 04
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$5,809,873 33

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		105,298 10
National bank notes outstanding		500,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 557,077 62	
Due to state banks and bankers	202,824 58	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	867,006 11	
Dividends unpaid	870 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,192,733 84	
Demand certificates of deposit	600 00	
Certified checks	75,067 20	
Cashier's checks outstanding	303,393 87	
		4,100,575 23
Total		$5,809,873 33

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. W. Ramsey, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. W. RAMSEY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of February, 1906.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

C. A. FAGAN,
A. A. FRAUENHEIM,
J. S. CRAIG,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COSMOPOLITAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business January 29, 1906:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 328,245 27
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		53 63
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		18,750
Stocks, securities, etc		5,080 40
Furniture and fixtures		75,430 21
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$129,400 46	
Due from approved reserve agents	73,430 21	
Checks and other cash items	8,518 63	
Notes of other national banks	2,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,865 39	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	17,800 00	
Legal-tender notes	117,000 00	
		350,013 94
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$1,827,164 24

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		75,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		61,621 24
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MUCH IRREGULARITY IN NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper and High Grade Railroad Shares Scored Large Gains—More Than 40,000 Shares Mining Stocks Handled Locally.

By JOHN O. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

There was much irregularity in the New York stock market yesterday. The total transactions were slightly in excess of 1,400,000 shares, but the business was congested in a few specialties to a greater extent than at any previous time for more than a week. In the final dealings the irregularity continued, and there were as many gains as losses, compared with closing prices the day before.

The principal feature of the market during the early part of the session was Amalgamated Copper, the dealings in which were on an enormous scale. The stock opened at 115⅞ and rose to 116¼. Between those prices it is estimated that one commission house bought 150,000 shares. Another commission house was credited with buying about 30,000 shares. The ease with which the stock was obtainable within a comparatively narrow range excited suspicion. To allay this a story was circulated that Heinze was being permitted to accumulate a large line of the stock preliminary to the announcement of the consummation of a deal for the merger with the United Copper and possibly with the American Smelting and other companies. This story was not entirely satisfactory, and a rather sharp reaction occurred to 114⅜. There was a partial recovery, and then late in the session an advance to 116⅜, the close being at 116¾, a net gain for the day of 1⅜ per cent. Anaconda Copper closed 1¼ higher, Smelting ⅜ lower and National Lead ⅝ lower. The impression is gaining ground that an important deal is being negotiated, which will have an important effect upon the copper and smelting industry, but the details are being closely guarded.

Another point of interest in the market was the minor iron and steel issues. Tennessee Coal and Iron was rushed up from 158⅛ to 166, while Colorado Fuel and Iron broke from 71½ to 74½, recovering to 75 at the close, a net loss of 2 per cent. Republic Iron and Steel issues were strong and higher, and Sloss-Sheffield closed 2¼ per cent higher. United States Steel common and preferred covered a range of 1 per cent and closed fractionally lower for the day. The railroad equipment stocks also closed slightly lower.

The strength of some of the high-grade railroad stocks became quite conspicuous during the afternoon trading. Northern Pacific advanced to and closed at 215, the highest quoted since the famous "corner" in 1901, the final price representing a net gain of 5 per cent. Great Northern preferred opened at 333, declined to 330¾, rallied to 337 and closed at 336½, a net advance of 5½ per cent. Canadian Pacific closed 1⅛ per cent higher. Union Pacific ranged between 156½ and 155⅞, but closed unchanged for the day. There was a rumor that Union Pacific had acquired control of Illinois Central, but the latter was not affected, and the story received little attention.

The Pennsylvania group closed lower. Reading leading the decline, with a net loss of 1⅜ per cent, due to fears of labor trouble among the anthracite coal miners. The same influence probably affected Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio. The southern group of stocks closed fractionally lower. The transactions were dull and without feature.

The preliminary estimates of the movements of money during the week indicate a large loss of cash in today's bank statement. Call loans, however, remained easy at 3½@4½ per cent.

More than 40,000 shares listed mining stocks changed hands on the local exchange, and in the curb market the same class of stocks were active. The largest dealings were in Ohio Tonopah, which advanced to 47 cents a share, a new high price on the present capitalization. Tonopah Extension rallied to $8.45, while United Copper declined to 73¾, but recovered to 75½ at the close, a net loss of 1 per cent. The regular industrial list was fairly active and firm. Crucible Steel common rallied to and closed at 17, and the preferred was fractionally higher at 7.5⅞. National Fire Proofing preferred rallied to and closed at 28½ on the official announcement that the company had practically negotiated the sale of $2,000,000 bonds, which would provide the needed increase in cash working capital. American Sewer Pipe advanced to and closed at 33⅝. Harbison-Walker common declined to 13. Pittsburgh Plate Glass sold to the extent of 400 shares at 120@121. The Westinghouse stocks were extremely dull, Electric closing lower at 83½ and Air Brake unchanged at 156. Pittsburgh Coal preferred was dull and unchanged at 58, while River Coal preferred advanced 1¼ points to 24¼. There was only a moderate degree of activity in natural gas stocks. Manufacturers Light and Heat advanced to 33¾, but reacted to and closed at 33, unchanged for the day. The company issued the financial statement, which will be submitted to the stockholders next week. The report showed an increase in gross business over 1904, but a rather large floating debt, which probably furnished the inducement for recent liquidation in the stock.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

Sales			
500	Ohio Tonopah	.43	.43
775	do	.43	.43½
100	do	.42	.42
5500	do	.43	.43
500	do	.43	.43½
4000	do	.44	.44
6000	do	.44	.44½
100	do	.46	.46
200	do	.45	.45
10	do	.45	.45
400	do	.44	.44½
100	do	.44	.45
100	P. Brew. com.	28⅛	28⅛
20	do	28¾	28¾
50	do	28¾	28¾
50	do	28½	28½
25	do	28⅝	28⅝
10	do	28⅝	28⅝
25	do	28⅝	28⅝
30	Mfrs. L. & H.	33	.40
10	do	33	.40
200	Crucible com.	16⅞	17
100	do	16⅞	17
5	do	16⅝	16⅝
10	do	16⅞	16⅞
50	do	16⅞	16⅞
20	do	16¾	16¾
100	do	16¾	16¾
150	do	16⅝	16⅝
100	do	16⅞	16⅞
6	do	16⅞	16⅞

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

Sales			
50	Crucible com.	17	17
25	do	17	17
50	P. Brew. com	28⅝	28⅝
50	do	28⅞	28⅞
25	do	28⅞	28⅞
14	P. Coal pfd	58	58
10	do	58	58
25	Ind. Brew. pfd	41½	41½
10	do	41½	41½

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

Sales			
65	Mfrs. L. & H.	33	33
15	do	33	33
20	do	33	33
7	Ind. Brew. pfd	41½	41½
55	Ohio Fuel	37¼	37¼
35	Fire Proof pfd	28½	28½
30	do	28¾	28¾
100	do	28½	28½
100	do	28½	28½
25	do	28½	28½
50	do	28½	28½
40	Sewer Pipe	33⅝	33⅝
20	Tonopah Ext.	8.40	8.40
50	Marsden	2	2
100	United Copper	74⅝	75
75	do	75	75½

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

Sales			
1000	Ohio Tonopah	.43	.43
500	do	.43	.43
150	do	.43	.43
500	do	.43	.43
20	P. Brew. pfd	40½	40½
25	Fire Proof pfd	28½	28½
10	do	28½	28½
100	do	28½	28½
100	do	28⅝	28⅝
20	P. Coal pfd	58	58
100	Crucible com	16⅞	16⅞
75	United Copper	75	75
100	do	75	75
50	do	75	75

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

Sales			
100	Fire Proof pfd	28⅝	28⅝
100	do	28½	28½
5	do	28	28
100	do	28½	28½
100	do	28⅝	28⅝
100	do	28	28
75	do	28	28
50	do	28	28
20	do	28	28
7	Ind. Brew. com	14	14
21	do	14½	14½
1000	Ohio Tonopah	.45	.45
10	do	.45	.45
1000	do	.45	.45
100	do	.46	.46
100	do	.45	.45
200	do	.45	.45
100	P. Brew. com	28⅝	28⅝
100	do	28⅝	28⅝
100	do	28⅝	28⅝
100	do

COLD WEATHER HAS ITS EFFECT ON MARKET

Generally Depressing on Trade but Creates Firmer Feeling in Some Lines.

While the cold weather had a depressing effect on trade in the general markets, it had a tendency to create a slightly firmer feeling in several of the lines which have been extremely weak for some time. The egg market, while the demand was not much better, was slightly stronger and it is the hope of the merchants that the cold wave will continue for some time until some of the great surplus is gotten rid of.

It was almost too cold yesterday for any displays to be made in the open, and the large amount of green stuff which has been seen in front of the stores during the winter was conspicuous by its absence. There was no change in the market on any green stuff with the exception of lettuce and celery, which have a firmer feeling. The receipts of first-class celery have been rather weak during the last few days.

The butter market is unchanged and presents an unfavorable aspect. There have been no further changes in the quotations.

With small receipts and a fair demand the cheese market continues firm and late quotations are easily obtained. The class of goods now on the market is of very good quality.

There were no changes in the quotations of the grocery line, and it is reported as being firm in all quarters.

The apple market continues firm with a good demand, goods of the best quality bringing a price higher than the outside quotation.

HAY AND GRAIN.

RECEIPTS.

Receipts bulletined yesterday were: Pennsylvania lines, 4 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 7 cars corn, 2 cars feed, 1 car straw. Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 2 cars oats, 1 car straw, 1 car hay. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 3 cars hay, 1 car rye, 1 car bran.

A better demand existed for grain and hay yesterday. No. 1 timothy is scarce and hard to get. Clover and clover mixed are becoming firmer. Corn and oats look as though an advance would be made in these lines before long.

No. 1 timothy ...	$13.25@13.50
No. 2 ...	$11.50@12.00
No. 1 clover ...	$9.50@10.00
No. 2 clover ...	$8.50@9.00
No. 1 mixed ...	$10.00@10.50
No. 2 mixed ...	$9.25@9.75
Straw, oat ...	$7.00@7.50
do wheat ...	7.00@7.50
do rye ...	$8.00@8.50
No. 2 white oats ...	.36@36½c
No. 3 white oats ...	.35¼@35½c
No. 4 oats ...	.34@35c
No. 1 white middlings ...	$21.50@22.00
No. 2 white middlings ...	$21.25@21.75
do brown ...	$18.50@20.00
Bran, ton ...	$20.00@20.50
Wheat, No. 1 red, new, at mill ...	.80@83c
Corn—New yellow shelled ...	.47½@48½c
New high mixed car ...	.48@49c
New yellow car ...	.50½@51½c
No. 2 Michigan rye ...	.75@76c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints ...	30½@34½c
Tubs ...	.29½@33½c
Ohio creamery ...	.27@28c
Dairy ...	.26½@27½c
Cooking ...	.20@21c
Cheese, N. Y. full cream, new ...	.14½@15c
Ohio full crm ...	.14½@15c
do ¾ cream ...	.13@13½c
do Picnics ...	.15@15½c
do Wis. Swiss ...	.15@15½c
tubs ...	.15@15½c
do block ...	.15@15½c
do imported ...	.27@27½c
do Limburger, new ...	.13½@14c
do 5-lb brick, new ...	.14½@15c
do Neufenatel, large box ...	.90c@$1.00
do Shefford, box ...	.95c
Eggs, selected ...	.19@20c
do strictly nearby fresh ...	.21@22c
do southern ...	.18@19c
do storage ...	.17@18c

NUTS.

New California walnuts ...	.11c
Chestnuts, Italian ...	.7@8c
Hickory nuts, bu. ...	$1.75@2.00
Walnuts, bu. ...	.50@75c
English walnuts, lb. ...	.12@15c
Butternuts ...	$1.25@1.30
Hazelnuts, lb ...	.11@12c
Almonds, lb. ...	.14@15c
Pecans, lb. ...	.11@12c
Shellbarks ...	$2.00@2.25

DRIED FRUITS.

Raisins, 1-lb pkgs. ...	.8@9½c
Evap. peaches, 25-lb box, choice ...	.10@11½c
do fancy ...	.11@12c
Evap. apples, 1-lb pkgs. ...	.8½@9c
Prunes, Cal., lb ...	.5@10c

HIDES.

Heavy green salt steers, over 60 lbs. ...	.12c
Light steers No. 1 ...	.11c
Cows, all weights ...	.11c
Bulls, No. 1, over 80 lbs. ...	.10c
Calf, green salt, No. 2 ...	.11c
do No. 1 ...	.13c

GROCERIES.

Flour.	
Fancy spg. Minn. pat. ...	$4.75@4.80
Kansas pat. ...	$4.65@4.70
Fancy winter patent ...	$4.25@4.30
Rye ...	$3.00@3.50
Buckwheat ...	$2.50@2.60
Graham, 10-lb bags ...	$2.20@2.30
Cornmeal, bags ...	$3.15@3.25
Rolled oats, bbl. ...	$5.20
do bags ...	$2.75
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio ...	.13@15½c
Santos ...	.23½@27½c
Maracaibo ...	.15@15½c
Peaberry ...	.13½@15c
Golden Rio ...	.15½c
Caracas ...	.20@21½c
Standard, pkgs. ...	.14.55c
High grade ...	.18½@19½c
Molasses, fancy, refined ...	.25@36c
do choice ...	.31@24c
do open ket ...	.37@39c
do 2-lb ...	.55c
do 3-lb ...	$1.35@1.65
Fancy syrup ...	.28@30c
Maple sugar, gal. ...	$1.00
Sug. and cane ...	.21@25c
2-lb cans, doz. ...	.80c
2½-lb cans, doz. ...	.95c
5-lb cans, doz. ...	$1.70
10-lb cans, doz. ...	$3.40
Maple, gal. ...	.75c@$1.00
Sugar, sta. gran. ...	.4.85c
do bags ...	.4.55c
do 2-lb carton ...	.4.95c
do 5-lb bags ...	.4.85c
Pow'd sugar ...	.4.95c
Stand. pow'd ...	.4.90c
do cut loaf block ...	5.05c
do cubes ...	5.05c
do coffee A ...	.4.80c
do No. 1 yellow ...	.4.45c
do No. 2 yellow ...	.4.40c
Beans.	
Navy, choice, H. P. ...	$1.80@1.90
Red kidney ...	$2.25@2.30
Cal. lima, lb. ...	.5@5½c
Peas, dried, bu. ...	$1.30@1.35
do split, lb. ...	.4½c
do marrowfat, bu. ...	$1.75@1.85
Oil, carbon, 110 deg. ...	.12c
do water white ...	.13c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. ...	.12½c
do Elaine ...	.15c
Miners' oil, special brands ...	.26@43c
Rice, ex fancy head, lb. ...	.6½@7c
do fancy Japan ...	.4¾@5c
do choice, Carolina ...	.5½@4c
Salt, No. 1, bbl. ...	$1.10
do No. 1 extra ...	$1.20
do gran. rock ...	.90c
do gran. bbl. ...	$1.65@2.10
do pocket ...	$1.65@2.10
do dairy ...	$1.40
Lentils, fancy "G. O." lb. ...	.4½@5½c
Sauerkraut, 40-gal cask ...	$7.50@8.00
do 15-gal keg ...	$3.50@3.75
do bbls. ...	$13.50@14.00
Honey, combed, w. c. fancy, lb. ...	.17@18c
do choice ...	.16@16c
do buckwheat ...	.15@16c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes ...	.75@80c
Sweet potatoes, Jersey fancy, bbl. ...	$2.25@2.50
Jersey sweets, crate ...	.90c@$1.00
do med., bbl. ...	$1.75@2.00
do fancy, hamper ...	$1.00@1.10
Onions, yellow Danvers, bu. ...	.70@80c
do yellow Danvers, bbls. ...	$2.00@2.25
Silver skins, bbls. ...	$3.50@4.00
do bu. ...	$1.50@1.75
Valencia, crates ...	.25@3.50
do Spanish, crates ...	$1.40@1.50
Cabbage, bbl., G. S. ...	$1.50@1.75
do red ...	$1.75@2.00
do Savoy, bbls. ...	$1.00@1.25
Green peppers, crate ...	$3.00@3.50
Green beans, bu. ...	$4.00@4.50
Celery, Ohio, large, bunches ...	.40@50c
do small bunches ...	.20@25c
California celery, crate ...	$1.00@4.50
do doz. ...	.65@75c
York state celery, doz. ...	.50@60c
Lettuce, bskt. ...	.50@60c
do hampers ...	$4.00@4.50
Endive, bbl. ...	$5.50@8.00
Escarali ...	$4.50@5.00
Head lettuce, bbls. ...	$7.00@10.00
Spinach, bskt. ...	.60@75c
do bbls. ...	$2.00@2.25
Rutabagas, bbl. ...	$1.15@1.25
Kale, bbl. ...	.75c@$1.00
Cranberries, box ...	$5.00@5.50
Eggplant, crt. ...	$3.00@3.50
Garlic, lb. ...	.8@10c
Watercress, doz. ...	.25@35c
Cauliflower, Cal., crates ...	$4.00@4.50
Carrots, bbls. ...	$1.75@2.00
Cucumbers	
Pickle, doz. ...	$1.75@2.00
Turnips, bbl. ...	$1.50@1.75
do hu. ...	.20@60c
Beets, bbl. ...	.$2.00@2.25
Squash, marrowfats, bbl. ...	$2.50@3.00
Hubbard, bbl. ...	$1.75@2.00
Popcorn, lb. ...	.4@5c
Mint, doz. ...	.50@75c
Parsley, doz. ...	.40@50c
Parsnips, bbl. ...	$2.00@2.25
Horseradish ...	$5.50@6.00
Brussels sprouts, quarts ...	.15@18c
Radishes, doz. ...	.25@50c
Shallots ...	.50@60c
Strawberries, qt. ...	.40@50c
Rhubarb, doz. ...	.50@60c

FRUITS.

Apples, bbls, Kings, fancy ...	$5.50@6.00
Other fancy varieties ...	$4.50@5.00
do choice ...	$3.75@4.25
do California, box ...	$1.75@3.00
Lemons, Messinas, fancy ...	$2.00@2.50
do choice ...	$2.50@2.75
Oranges, Florida ...	$2.25@2.75
California ...	$2.50@3.00
Cocoanuts, bags ...	$3.25@3.50
do doz. ...	.45@50c
Bananas, 1sts ...	$1.50@2.00
do 2nds ...	$1.00@1.50
Pineapples, smooth Cayennes ...	$4.00@4.50
Red Spanish ...	$4.00@4.50
Pears, bbls. ...	$3.00@3.50
Limes, per 100 ...	$2.00@2.50
Dates, stuffed ...	.18c
Figs, California, box ...	.90c@$1.00
Layer, lb. ...	.19@12c
Grapes, Malaga, bbl. ...	$5.00@5.50
do fancy ...	$6.00@7.00
Grape fruit, Florida ...	$5.00@6.00
Tangerine straps ...	$4.00@5.00

POULTRY AND GAME.

Chickens ...	.13@14c
do roosters ...	.8@9c
do turkeys ...	.17@18c
do geese ...	.10@11c
do ducks ...	.14@15c
do pigeons, doz. ...	.90c@$1.00
Dressed hens ...	.16@17c
do springers ...	.17@18c
do roosters ...	.11@12c
do turkeys ...	.19@23c
do Long Island ducklings ...	.20c
do ducks ...	.15@18c
do capon ...	.35c
Squab, doz. ...	$2.75@4.00
do No. 2 ...	$2.00@2.25
Ducks, ruddy ...	$1.25
do red head ...	$1.70@2.00
do canvas-back ...	$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz. ...	.$5.50
do black plover ...	$4.50
English pheasants, per pair ...	$3.25
Reed birds, doz. ...	$1.25
Snappers, per lb ...	.8@9c
Pigeons, pair ...	.20@25c
Frogs, doz. ...	$2.25@2.50
Rabbits, pair ...	.40@50c
Squirrel, doz. ...	$1.00@1.50

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie ...	$1.05
do pie, gal. ...	$2.50@3.00
do California, lg. cl. ...	$1.90@2.05
do California, Y. E. ...	$1.90@2.25
Corn, fancy ...	$1.10@1.20
do stand. ...	.80@85c
Cherries, California, white ...	$2.50@2.75
Lima beans ...	$1.25@1.45
do soaked ...	.70@80c
String beans, 2-lb ...	.65@70c
do 2-lb ...	.90@95c
Stringless beans ...	$1.10@1.60
Peas, marrowfat ...	.80@90c
do early June ...	.75@95c
do soaked ...	.55@60c
Plums, Cali. ...	$1.40@1.65
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans ...	$2.50@2.75
Pineapples ...	$1.25@2.50
Raspberries ...	.85@95c
Gooseberries ...	.85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy ...	$1.15@1.20
do standard ...	$1.05@1.10
do gal. ...	.$2.50
Succotash, 1-lb cans ...	$1.15@1.25
Baked beans, cans, tomato sauce ...	.75@95c
Salmon, doz. ...	.85c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats ...	.85c@$1.00
do pink, 1-lb talls ...	$1.81@2.15
Chipped beef ...	$2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans ...	$2.30@2.45
do 1-lb cans ...	$1.25@1.50
Mackerel, boiled ...	$1.80@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s ...	$2.50@3.00
do mustards, ¾s ...	$2.50
do French ...	$6.50@18.50

PROVISIONS.

Hams.	
18 lbs and up ...	.10¾c
Over 14 to 18 lbs ...	.10¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs ...	.11c
10 lbs and under ...	.11¼c
Skinned ...	.11¼c
Boneless boiled ...	.12½c
California ...	.8¼c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut ...	.8¼c
do skinned ...	.8¾c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs ...	.12c
do 10 to 12 lbs ...	.11½c
do back strips ...	.10¼c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs ...	.12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs ...	.11¾c
Breakfast bacon, back strips ...	.11¼c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears ...	.8¾c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ...	.9c
do 16 to 20 lbs ...	.9¼c
do under 16 lbs ...	.9½c
Dry salt shoulders, extra ...	.9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs ...	.10c
do 16 to 20 lbs ...	.10¼c
do under 16 lbs ...	.10½c
Lard, pure, tierces ...	.8c

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, car lots, fancy, bu ...	.65@70c
Cabbage, G. S. ton ...	$20.00@21.00
Apples, Fancy, bbl. ...	$4.50@5.00
Choice, bbl. ...	$3.50@4.25
Onions, bbl. ...	$1.75@1.85
do bu. ...	.40@45c
Cal. celery ...	$4.00@4.25

The Wool Market.

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—The Commercial Bulletin will say tomorrow of the wool market: The market is extremely strong with a better tone to the situation. This position is due to the London auctions, which closed February 1, 5 to 6 per cent above the opening rates, the successful opening of goods and the comparatively light stocks of wool available. Manufacturers of all kinds and sizes are around the market constantly and purchases of both worsted and cloth wools are being made. Sample bags are passing quite freely and buyers are keeping close watch on conditions. A large worsted buyer is reported to have cleaned up a very satisfactory aggregate of Wyoming, Utah and fleece wools. In the two first wools the quantity taken is about 200,000 pounds. As a rule, however, the amounts being transferred are but moderate. The total business of the week compares favorably with corresponding periods in past years. Fine clothing territory is moving at 40@72c, while fine medium is taken at 66@68c. Buyers are paying 63@70c for fine scoured and 64@65c for good fine medium. Ohio quarter bloods are selling at 32½@33c; half bloods at 32@33c, and three-eighths at 33@35c. Washed Ohio delaine is being firmly held at around 37c. Missouri quarters are selling at 31c and offers of 30c for the whole supply in the country have been rejected. California fall free is going moderately at 61@62c, while eight months Texas is passing in a grease out of 24@25c, or 70c clean. Some of the fall clip is also in demand, dealers realizing 23@24c, or 62@63c on a scoured basis. Fine A's and A supers are still in request, the former being up to 68c and the latter 67@68c. Australian wools are quiet, with the exception of inquiries for prices on new crossbreds. The shipments of wool from Boston to date from December 27, 1905, according to the usual authority, are 22,826,598 pounds, against 24,754,630 pounds at the same time last year. The receipts to date are 18,064,752 pounds, against 22,235,587 pounds for the same period last year.

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 2.—Butter steady; extra western creamery, 27½c; nearby prints, 29c. Eggs firm and 1@1½c higher; nearby fresh, 18c; fancy marks, western fresh, 15c at mark. Cheese quiet; New York full cream, fancy, Cheese, 14½c; choice, 13¾@14c; fair to good, 13@13½c.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Butter steady; receipts, 6,116 pkgs; street price, extra creamery, 26@26½c; official prices unchanged. Cheese steady, unchanged; receipts, 505 pkgs. Eggs firmer; receipts, 5,513 pkgs; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 24@25c; do choice, 22@23c; do mixed extra, 20@21c; western firsts, 18c; do seconds, 16@17c; southerns, 13@18c.

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Butter steady; creamery, 18@25½c; dairies, 18@23c. Eggs steady; at mark, cases included, 15c; firsts, 15½c; prime firsts, 16½c; extras, 18½c. Cheese steady, 10@13c.

FOLLOWING DECLINE PRICES CLOSE STEADY

Wheat Recovers and Trading Ends at Mark of Previous Day.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 2.—Notwithstanding the fact that the predicted cold wave failed to develop in the winter wheat section of the United States numerous reports of damage to the fall sown crop were received today from that section. The market in consequence closed steady, final prices being almost the same as those of yesterday. Corn was up ¼@¼c. Oats were unchanged, provisions were up 7½c to 25c.

At the opening the wheat market was inclined to be weak, May being off ¼@¾c at 84¼@84¾c. Sentiment in the pit was generally bearish and there was free selling by pit traders. A reported increase in exports from Argentina of almost 1,000,000 bushels over the corresponding week of one year ago increased the selling movement. During the early part of the session the market continued rather heavy and some additional weakness was developed on a report that the condition of fall sown wheat in Texas was excellent. During the depression the price of the May option declined to 84c. In the last hour a report made by a trade journal in St. Louis that the crop of winter wheat had been damaged by sudden changes of temper caused active covering by shorts and brought about a steadier feeling. The market closed firm, with prices at the highest point of the day, the final quotations on May being at 84¾@85¼c. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 2,000,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 394,000 bushels, compared with 323,000 bushels one year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 190 cars, against 318 cars last week and 228 cars one year ago.

Sentiment in the corn pit was bullish for the entire day. The feature of trading was buying by a leading commission house. A continued active demand for export also strengthened the market. The close was firm, with prices at the highest point of the day. May opened unchanged to ⅛c higher at 44¾@44½c, sold up to 44¾@44⅝c, and closed at the top. Local receipts were 201 cars, with four of contract grade.

The weakness of wheat had a depressing effect on the oats market early in the day, but later it became steady because of firmness of corn. Trading was confined largely to local operators. May opened a shade to ⅛c lower at 30¾@30½c to 30⅝c, sold up to 30⅝c and closed at 30½@30⅝c. Local receipts were 131 cars. Trading was active and decidedly strong. The price of live hogs advanced 10@15c and sales of provisions showed an unexpectedly small increase during the month. Buying was of good character, brokers who usually act for local packers taking all offerings of pork and ribs. The market closed strong, with May pork up 22½@25c at $14 35. Lard was up 7½c at $7 70. Ribs were 12½@15c higher at $7 77½@7 80.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 13 cars; corn, 205 cars; oats, 180 cars; hogs, 30,000 head.

The leading futures, as reported by Messrs. Armstrong & Co., Farmers Bank building, Pittsburgh, members of the Chicago board of trade, ranged as follows:

ARTICLES.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT.					
May ...	84⅝	84⅝	84	84⅝	84⅝
July ...	83⅝	83⅞	83	83⅜	83½
CORN.					
May ...	44½	44⅝	44⅜	44⅝	44⅜
July ...	44⅝	44⅝	44⅜	44⅝	44⅛
Sept. ...	45	45⅛	44⅝	45	44⅝
OATS.					
May ...	30¼	30⅝	30⅛	30⅝	30⅝
July ...	29⅝	29⅞	29½	29⅝	29⅝
MESS PORK.					
May ...	14 17½	14 37½	14 17½	14 35	14 12½
July ...	14 30	14 45	14 30	14 47½	14 22½
LARD.					
May ...	7 67½	7 70	7 65	7 70	7 62½
July ...	7 75	7 82½	7 75	7 82½	7 72½
SHORT RIBS.					
May ...	7 70	7 80	7 70	7 80	7 65
July ...	7 82½	7 90	7 80	7 90	7 75

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour easy. No. 2 spring wheat, 83@85c; No. 3, 79@83c; No. 2 red, 85@85¾c. No. 2 corn, 41¾@42c; No. 2 yellow, 42c. No. 2 oats, 30½c; No. 3 white, 31½@32c; No. 3 white, 29¾@31¼c. No. 2 rye, 65c. Good feeding barley, 32@33½c. Fair to choice malting, 42@50c. No. 1 flaxseed, $1 05; No. 1 northwestern, $1 15. Prime timothy seed, $3 30@3 35. Mess pork, per bbl., $14 10@14 15. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7 55@7 57½. Short rib sides (loose), $7 55@7 70. Short clear sides (boxed), $7 87½@8 00. Whisky, basis of high wines, $1 29. Clover, contract grade, $13 50.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipm'ts.
Flour, barrels ...	47,500	43,200
Wheat, bushels ...	27,000	27,700
Corn, bushels ...	219,000	243,500
Oats, bushels ...	232,800	227,400
Rye, bushels ...	6,000	1,900
Barley, bushels ...	140,200	67,300

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—Flour—Receipts, 17,697 barrels; exports, 23,890 barrels; quiet and unchanged. Rye flour steady. Buckwheat flour dull. Buckwheat quiet. Cornmeal steady. Rye nominal. Barley quiet. Wheat—Receipts, 124,000 bushels; exports, 24,049 bushels; spot steady. No. 2 red, 89¾c elevator; No. 2 red, 91¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern, Duluth, 94¾c f. o. b. afloat. There was considerable weakness in wheat following lower cables, Argentine shipments and failure of the predicted cold wave in winter-wheat states to materialize. A sharp afternoon rally on covering and the bullish Modern Miller report left prices finally not unchanged. May, 89 7-16@89⅞c; July, 88 7-16@88⅞c, closed 88⅝c; September, 86½@88⅝c, closed 86⅞c. Corn—Receipts, 94,000 bushels; exports, 191,455 bushels; spot steady; No. 2, 52c elevator and 49¼c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 49½c; No. 2 white, 48¾c. Option market was without transactions today and closed net unchanged. May closed 50½c; July closed at 50½c; September closed at 50⅝c. Oats—Receipts, 130,600 bushels; exports, 19,150 bushels; spot steady; mixed oats, 26 to 32 pounds, 35½@36¼c; natural white, 32 to 32 pounds, 36@37c; clipped white, 36 to 40 pounds, 38¾@40c.

TOLEDO, Feb. 2.—Cloverseed—Cash and February, $8 25; March, $8 30; April, $8 20; timothy, $1 82; alsike, $7 85.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 2.—Wheat—May, 83¼c; July, 84@84¼c. No. 1 hard, 82½c; No. 1 northern, 82¾c; No. 2 northern, 80¾c. Flour—First patents, $4 20@4 40; second patents, $4 20@4 30; first clears, $3 50@3 60; second clears, $2 45@2 55. Bran, in bulk, $14 50@14 75.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 2.—Close—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash, 89@92c; May, 82⅝@83⅜c; July, 81⅝c; No. 2 hard, 80@84c. Corn, No. 2 cash, 41c; May, 43¾c; July, 43@43¼c. Oats, No. 2 cash, 31c; May, 30¼c; No. 2 white, 32¼@32½c; July, 30½c. Rye, No. 2, 65c.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 2.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 84½@85¼c; No. 2 northern, 82@84½c; May, 84½c bid. Rye, No. 1, 68¼c. Barley, No. 2, 55c; sample, 52¼@56c. Corn, May, 44¼c bid.

DULUTH, Feb. 2.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, 81¾c; No. 2 northern, 79¾c; May, 83¼c; July, 84½c.

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

The production of Calumet and Arizona, Lake Superior and Pittsburgh and Pittsburgh and Duluth for January was 3,463 tons, an increase over December of 710 tons. The increase was due principally to the two mines.

The Glimax Consolidated Mines Company of New York, at Elly, Nev., has increased its working force to 70 men, and is prosecuting development at the different workings with more than ordinary vigor. Crosscuts are being run on the 750-foot level of the Alpha, and the vein matter from which the values have been practically leached out on the 800-foot level is showing values of an encouraging nature.

The Mountain Copper Company, located near Martinez, Cal., has shipped to San Francisco 150 tons of copper for transportation around the Horn to the refinery plant in the east owned by the company. The present shipment is valued at over $100,000.

The American Smelting and Refining Company has purchased the Dempsey copper mining properties near Smarisville and will erect a large smelter and works there on the line of the California Midland railway, soon to be built from Grass Valley and Auburn to Marysville. The amount involved in the deal is not stated, but probably amounts to $250,000 or more.

DEADWOOD, S. D.—Black Hills mines are about to receive the benefit of electrical power. This is the most substantial boon that has befallen the Black Hills interests since the introduction of the cyanide process. It will make possible the working of mines which hitherto have been too isolated or have possessed ores of so low a grade that it did not pay to work. The new power plant which has been completed at Pluma by the Consolidated Light and Power Company has a stack 210 feet high of steel and concrete and a battery of seven boilers, with a capacity of 2,200 boiler horsepower and a total electrical force of 6,000 horsepower.

J. C. Tebbetts, treasurer of the Gold Bullion Mining Company, who has been looking over the Resting Spring and Bullfrog districts, reports that as a result of the railroad now building to Bullfrog there is great excitement in the country south of Bullfrog; also that the strike reported by Manager Stotler on the Resting Springs property is attracting attention.

The Metal Markets.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—There was an advance of 10@15c in the London tin market, with spot closing at £167 2s 6d and futures at £156 15s. Locally the market was firm, with spot quoted at $35 70@37 00. Copper was 5s lower in London, with spot closing at £76 5s, and futures at £77. Locally, the situation was unchanged, apparently, and quotations are more or less nominal. Lake and electrolytic are quoted at $18.00@18 50, and casting at $18 00. Lead was 3s higher at £16 10s in London, but remained unchanged at $5 60@5 80 in the local market. Spelter was a shade lower in London, closing at £25 15s, and was also easier in the local market, with spot quoted at $5 10@5 20. Iron was a little lower abroad, with standard foundry closing at 52s 2d, and Cleveland warrants at 52s 0d. Locally, the market was steady in tone and without further change. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $18 75@19 25, No. 2 foundry at $18 00@18 85, No. 1 foundry, southern, at $18 50@18 75, and No. 2 foundry, southern, at $17 75@18 25.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.
Allouez ...	41⅝	42	41⅝	42	43
Adventure ...	...	...	...	5⅝	6¼
Arcadian ...	4½	4½	4½	4½	5
Atlantic ...	25½	25½	25	24⅞	25
Boston Cons. ...	29	29⅜	29	29⅜	29
Bingham ...	39¾	40	39¾	39¾	40
Black Mountain ...	...	...	...	12¾	13½
Calumet & Hecla ...	705	705	700	700	705
Centennial ...	28½	29½	28	28	28½
Daly West ...	17	17	17	16⅞	17¼
Nevada ...	12⅝	12⅝	12½	12½	13½
Franklin ...	19½	19½	18¾	19¼	19¼
Granby ...	10¼	10¼	10¼	10	10¼
Greene ...	27⅜	28¼	27⅜	28⅛	28¼
Isle Royale ...	25½	25½	25½	25½	26
Mass ...	10	10	10	10	10½
Mohawk ...	58¾	58¾	58	58	58¾
Mitchell ...	...	...	...	13¾	14
Michigan ...	15¼	15¼	15¼	15	15½
North Butte ...	87½	89	87½	87½	88
Osceola ...	102	103	102	102¾	103
Old Dominion ...	38¼	38¼	37¾	37¾	38
Old Colony ...	...	...	...	1¼	1¾
Parrot ...	42¾	43½	42	42	42½
Phoenix ...	...	...	...	1¼	1½
Quincy ...	104	104	104	...	104
Range Con. ...	83¼	83¾	83	83¾	84
Rhode Island ...	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7¼
Apex ...	...	...	...	7⅛	7¼
Trinity ...	9⅞	10	9⅞	9⅞	10
Tamarack ...	...	...	...	167	170
United Copper ...	76	76¼	73	75¾	75¾
Utah ...	66	68¼	65¾	65¾	66
U. S. Mining ...	60	60	59½	59¾	59½
Victoria ...	...	...	...	7	7¼
Wolverine ...	...	...	...	131	133
Winona ...	...	...	...	6¾	7
Keweenaw ...	...	...	...	17¾	18
Butte Explo. ...	...	...	...	6	6¼

BISBEE MINING STOCKS.

Calumet & Ariz. ...	...	...	...	120	121
Calumet & Pgh. ...	...	...	...	37	37¼
Junction ...	...	...	...	26	26½
L. S. & Pgh. ...	...	...	...	45¾	49
Pgh. & Duluth ...	...	...	...	24¾	25
East Butte ...	...	...	...	9¼	9½
Utah Copper ...	...	...	...	32¼	33¼
Raven ...	...	...	...	4½	5

BOSTON, Feb. 2.—All the interest today was confined to Amalgamated and United Copper, fluctuations of both stocks being very sharp and frequent, with plenty of opportunities to trade. All the lake coppers were very dull and with a slight tendency toward reactions. Osceola being the only exception, advancing 2 points to 103.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices to an advance of 5 points. Trading was active, owing largely to switching from near to late months, representing a liquidation of March longest, but the news was bullish, including light estimates of Santos receipts for February and a large decrease in the world's supply for the month of January, and the market ruled moderately steady. The close was unchanged to 10 points higher. Sales were reported of 111,000 bags, including February at 6.95c; March, 7c; May, 7.15c; July, 7.35c; September, 7.50@7.55c; October, 7.65c; December, 7.75@7.80c; January, 7.80c; spot Rio steady. Sugar—Raw nominal; fair refining, 3c; centrifugal, 96 degrees test, 3 15-32@3½c; molasses sugar, 2¾c; refined steady. The world's visible supply of coffee as of February 1 was 11,981,631 bags, a decrease for the month of 715,951 bags. The visible supply February 1 last year was 13,621,750 bags.

The Drygoods Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 2.—While buyers were conservative today prices remained firm and unchanged with the exception of a few isolated lines. Jobbers report slightly increased store trading.

The Whisky Market.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 2.—Whisky, $1 29.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is steady at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing House comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday ...	$11,377,282 49	$2,084,998 84
Last week ...	10,298,581 84½	1,540,106 48
Last year ...	7,578,206 48	1,122,717 11

Foreign Financial.

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Consols for money, 90 3-16; consols for account, 90⅛. Bar silver steady, 29½d per ounce. Money, 4 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3⅝@3 15-16 per cent; for three months' bills, 3⅞ per cent. Money was in restricted supply in the market today, the release of large sums with the month turn being offset by the amount due to the Bank of England. Discounts were firm. Trading in the stock exchange generally was quiet and tolerably cheerful. Gilt-edged securities were supported. Consols opened steady, but closed easier. Home rails were flat on the disappointing Midland dividend. Americans opened firm and quiet. Union Pacific was strong on dividend anticipations. The changes generally were fractional. Prices eased during the last hour, notwithstanding the strength of Wall street, rallied and closed firm. Foreigners were firm on Paris buying, notably Russings. Japanese Imperial 6s of 1904 were quoted at 80¾. Copper was in full demand for consumers, and prices were firm in the market today. The price closed steady at £78 5s. About 600 tons were sold. Tin in the market today advanced steady from 6s to 9s above last week and closed at £167. About 500 tons were sold.

PARIS, Feb. 2.—Trading on the bourse today was inactive, but the tendency generally was good. Russians were very firm. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 82.40 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 93.60. The private rate of discount was 2 2-16 per cent. Three per cent rentes, 99 francs 22½ centimes for the account. Exchange on

B. & L. E. BREAKS TONNAGE RECORD

Stored Ore Being Hauled to Pittsburgh—Wabash Reorganizes Auditing Department.

LOCAL MAN GOES TO C., H. & D.

Of the 900,000 tons of iron ore stored on the Bessemer & Lake Erie docks at Conneaut Harbor at the close of the lake navigation season on December 5 only about one-third remains to be hauled to Pittsburgh. Almost 600,000 tons were hauled since the navigation season closed, the record for January being 267,000 tons (the largest record for this month), and that for December about 300,000. The Bessemer road will easily handle the remaining ore of about 375,000 tons before the navigation season opens for 1906. The road's motive power and rolling stock has been kept in excellent shape and the enormous tonnage has kept all of the power at work, instead of allowing it to be leased to other roads. The company has completed the big repair shop at the Greenville shop plant and the repairs, which were formerly made in the shop yard, are now made in the new building.

An inspection of the southern end of the road from Greenville to Bessemer will be made by several officers of the company today, including Superintendent J. S. Matson, General Freight Agent O. J. Hammon, General Passenger Agent E. D. Comstock and Secretary and Treasurer G. W. Kepler. Vice President E. H. Utley, who has been making an automobile tour of the Island of Jamaica since January 15, sailed for Philadelphia Thursday and is expected to reach Pittsburgh Monday.

While the program of improvements on the Bessemer road for this year has not been fully made up, it is expected that the extension of second track will be continued, but not completed. The company is now building 4.9 miles of second track through Butler, 4.4 miles of second tracks from Pardo to Houston Junction and a new line to eliminate curves at Connellsville, where the second track will also be constructed. The company now has 50 miles of road under operation as double-track. This does not include the cut-off line from Kremis to "KO" Junction, about one mile beyond Osgood. The cut-off is eight miles long and is operated as a single-track line, as is also the old main line in the same territory through Shenango and Greenville. A total of about 59 miles of second track is now in service on the 163-mile main line from Bessemer to Conneaut Harbor.

More Wabash Appointments.

Incidental to the resignation of W. P. Schaufele as superintendent of car service of the Wabash lines east of Toledo and the recent appointment of R. L. Porter as auditor of the lines as successor to W. M. Bonar, the company has decided on a reorganization of the auditing and car service departments. The office of superintendent of car service will be abolished and three new offices created. In place of the car service there will be the office of car accountant, to which A. P. Titus will be appointed. Mr. Titus took service with the Wheeling & Lake Erie several years ago, resigning from the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, and for the past five years has been chief clerk in the car service office. The second new office is that of auditor of freight and ticket accounts, to which F. B. Brown, also an employe of the Wheeling & Lake Erie, will be appointed. The third new office is that of auditor of expenditures, to which F. J. Brunner, formerly head bookkeeper in the auditing department, will be appointed. All three of these officers will report to Auditor Porter, effective February 16. The auditing department will after this week occupy the entire fifth floor of the Wabash building.

Another Union Station for Cleveland.

Following the movement of the Pennsylvania lines, Big Four and Lake Shore & Michigan Southern roads for a new union station in Cleveland to serve the needs of these three roads, comes the report that the Baltimore & Ohio, Wabash and Erie roads are contemplating the same thing. Ex-Gov. Herrick of Ohio, chairman of the board of the Wheeling & Lake Erie, is said to be backing the movement. Vice President Worthington of the Wabash said yesterday he had not heard of the project, while officers of the Baltimore & Ohio and the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie also profess ignorance of the thing.

Pennsylvania Man Goes to C., H. & D.

Charles R. Curtis, one of the claim investigators in the office of Freight Claim Agent E. E. Wright of the Pennsylvania lines west, has resigned this position to take service under the same title with the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railway at Cincinnati under Freight Claim Agent F. J. Wheeler. His successor on the Pennsylvania lines has not been named. Mr. Curtis was formerly connected with the claim and motive power departments of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie. He left for Cincinnati last night.

Shows Growth of Travel.

The report of George W. Conrad, joint baggage agent of the Pennsylvania lines at the Union station, for the month of January shows that travel on the road was heavier than in the same month last year. The total number of pieces of baggage handled was 160,918, of which 85,934 were received and 57,654 forwarded. The increase over January, 1905, was about 1,209 pieces.

Railroad Notes.

The beginning of measurements of Panhandle trainmen for summer uniforms will be on February 19.

General Superintendent W. C. Loree of the Wheeling system of the Baltimore & Ohio was here from Wheeling conferring with local officers.

An investigation into tariffs and records of the Pennsylvania is being conducted here by H. D. Brown, special agent for the government. The nature of the information wanted is kept a secret.

The Pennsylvania has just placed in service new trough track tanks for water on the four tracks of the main line east of Wilmore. Engines will take water from these tanks without stopping.

The funeral of Conductor J. M. Jones of the Pennsylvania, who was killed on the road Thursday, will be held at his home in Irwin tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, Division No. 114, O. R. C., being in charge.

Charles P. Utley, a brother of Vice President Utley of the Bessemer & Lake Erie, has been promoted from a position in the office of the superintendent of terminals at Jersey City to general agent of the Path & Hammondsport road, a branch line in New York state, to succeed J. L. Cummin. The office of general agent is the head office of the branch road at Hammondsport.

THE THREE RIVERS

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 8.3 feet and the river was falling.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 2.—(Special.)—River 23.9 feet and falling. Departures were: Courier for Maysville and City of Louisville for Louisville. Today's towboat movements were: Up, Jno. Iron Age, with empties.

LOUISVILLE—River falling. In canal, 8.7; on falls, 6.5; below locks, 23.5.

WARREN—River 2 feet and stationary.

MORGANTOWN—River 8 feet and stationary.

GALLIPOLIS—River 15 feet and falling.

STEUBENVILLE—River 7 feet 8 inches and falling. Up, Keystone.

GREENSBORO—River 8 feet and falling.

OIL CITY—River 2 feet 5 inches and falling.

POINT PLEASANT—River 11 feet 10 inches and falling. Down, Queen City. Up, James Moren, Robert P. Gilliam, Kanawha, Exporter.

WHEELING—River 8 feet 1 inch and falling. Departed, Bessie Smith for Parkersburg.

PARKERSBURG—River 9 feet and falling. The Bedford left for Wheeling, the Frunch for Creston.

MARIETTA—River 8 feet 6 inches. Down, Bessie Smith.

LOW STAGE EXPECTED.

All Three Rivers Continue to Fall and Pool Boats Tie Up.

The rivers are still falling and a low stage is looked for. There were few movements of pool boats yesterday and the only craft seen along the harbor were the packets, which are all reporting good trade.

The Harvester is tied up at the Budd landing with a large tow of coal.

The Greenwood arrived yesterday from Charleston and left on her return trip at 4 p. m. She had a very good trip coming up. The Greenwood is taking the place of the Crossland, which is being renewedly overhauled, but is expected to make the trip next week.

The Lorena arrived from Zanesville, and will leave this afternoon, as will the Keystone State, which arrived from Cincinnati last evening.

The Cazenac, which caused so much excitement a few weeks ago by sinking a houseboat, has been raised and towed to McClure's docks.

The contract has been let by the Diamond Coal Company for a new boat which will take the place of the Andrew Axton burned several weeks ago. It is expected to be ready by April 1.

Capt. Huntington, traveling passenger agent for the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati packet line, returned yesterday from a long trip down river and reports much interest in the Mardi Gras trip to be made by the Queen City. It is thought all of the accommodations for this trip will be disposed of before the time for starting.

Burgettstown District Comes to the Front With Good Producer

The Burgettstown district, in Washington county, has come to the front with a creditable producer. Kelly Bros. & Cooper have drilled in their No. 7 on the R. C. Vance farm and have a show for a 300-barrel producer. Soon after the pay was tapped the well made a flow and the gas caught fire and consumed the rig. The well is now flowing through the casing at the rate of 100 barrels a day, and is expected to do better when drilled deeper into the pay.

In the St. Marys district, Pleasants county, Buckley & Davis have completed a second test on the M. E. Holdren farm and have a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the Maxon sand. In the same district C. J. Watt & Co. have completed a test on the Gallagher heirs' farm and have a 5-barrel pumper in the salt sand. In the same district the Williams Drilling Company is drilling a test on the W. Wilson farm. This test is located in advance of production, and is of importance. In the Bens run district, in the same county, the West Virginia Drilling Company has drilled its No. 3 on the Joseph Holdren farm through the Maxon sand and has a duster. This well will be drilled to the Big Injun. In the same district the Parker Oil Company has drilled its test on the L. L. Parker farm through the Cow run sand and has a duster. It will be drilled through the lower sands.

Near Buiton, Wetzel county, the Carnegie Natural Gas Company has drilled its test on the E. Whitlatch farm into the fifth sand and has a light gasser. On Long Drain run, Church district, the Wheeling Natural Gas Company has now drilled its test on the George Thomas farm through all sands, and has a duster.

On Woodburn run, McElroy district, Tyler county, the Tri-State Gas Company has drilled its test on the Thomas Woodburn farm through the Big Injun and has a duster. It is now drilling to the Gordon. On Big run, in the same district, the same company's test on the McDonald farm was dry in all sands. On Elk Fork, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Melrose Oil & Gas Company has drilled its test on the J. Harris farm through the Keener sand and has a duster in that formation. In West Union district, near Smithburg, Doddridge county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has drilled its test on the Mary Shannon farm through the Big Injun and has a good gasser. On Ten Mile creek, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Carter Oil Company has drilled its test on the C. A. Meeker farm through the Keefer sand and has a duster. On Archers Fork, Wetzel county, the Archers Fork Oil & Gas Company's test on the J. H. Dawson farm has been completed, and is not good for more than 5 barrels a day in the Big Injun.

In the vicinity of Sarah, Harrison county, the Hope Natural Gas Company has completed its test on the J. P. Roby farm and has a fair gasser in the Big Injun. In the Middlebourne district, Tyler county, the South Penn Oil Company has drilled in its No. 3 on the Sarah Baker farm and has a show for a good producer. Drilling has been suspended to move back the boiler. Near Bula, Monongalia county, the same company has completed No. 4 on the Isaac Lemley farm. The hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid.

On the Ohio side, in the Woodsfield district, Monroe county, Soliday & Co. have completed their test on the Margaret Shaw farm and have a show for a 40-barrel producer in the Big Injun. In the Barnesville district, Belmont county, the Cleveland & Penn Oil Company has completed a test on the Douglas farm and have a duster. In the shallow sand district, southeast of Jerusalem, in Belmont county, Eugene Pfeil has completed a test on the Emma Baker farm and has a show for a light producer in the Cow run sand.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
February 1.....	62,463	January 31.....	86,829
		Previously	1,808,197
		Total	1,372,666
		Daily average...	63,618

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
February 1.....	83,000	January 31.....	78,661
		Previously	1,257,023
		Total	1,335,684
		Daily average...	43,086

The Oil Market.

The following are the quotations for credit balances in the different fields: Pennsylvania, $1.58; Tiona, $1.61; Second Sand, $1.85; Cabell, $1.18; Corning, $1.10; New Castle, $1.25; North Lima, 94c; South Lima, 82c; Indiana, 89c; Somerset, 85c; Ragland, 65c; Corsicana, 91c. The Producers and Refiners' Company quotes $1.58 for Pennsylvania oil.

OIL CITY, Feb. 2.—Credit balances, $1.58; shipments, February 1, 62,463 barrels; runs, January 31, 20,061 barrels; average, 63,751 barrels; shipments, Lima, 83,000 barrels; runs, 78,961 barrels; average, 43,087 barrels.

TOLEDO, Feb. 2.—North Lima oil, 94c; South Lima and Indiana, 89c.

Agree to Take County Bonds.

N. W. Harris & Co. of New York have agreed to take $750,000 of bonds of Allegheny county at $102.084 for each $100 bond, and an option on the remaining $750,000 to be taken May 1. They bid on the whole amount and then refused to take them until this offer was accepted by the controller and commissioners.

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